

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Short Sessions of Both Branches of National Congress.

FOR ANNEXATION OF HAWAII.

Resolution Introduced in the House and Referred to Committee on Foreign Relations—Senator Wolcott Is Sworn In.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The session of the Senate today occupied less than an hour, the rest of the afternoon being given to the Senators to agree upon a line of action on the House tariff bill. When Mr. Sherman made the motion to adjourn he gave a hint as to the purpose he had in view in making it and assured the Senate an early adjournment would expedite business. And so the motion was agreed to without dissent from any Senator except Mr. Stewart (Pop.) of Nevada who desired the Senate to continue in session an hour longer in order that he might make a speech in favor of the free coinage of silver. The only incidents of note during the 30 minutes of the session were these: The swearing in of Senator Wolcott (Rep.) of Colorado for his new term; the reporting of an important bill from the Committee on Naval Affairs for the enlistment of additional men for the navy, and the notice by Mr. Butler (Pop.) of North Carolina of an amendment to the House bond bill with the free coinage substitute. The amendments propose to prohibit any issue of United States bonds without the authority of Congress and to require the payment of greenbacks, treasury notes and the interest and principal of bonds in either gold or silver, but in the cheaper of either metals. The adjournment was until to-morrow.

HOUSE SESSION.

Mr. Spaulding Introduces a Hawaiian Resolution.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The House celebrated the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans known as Jackson day, by remaining in session but 40 minutes. Half of that time was occupied in the reading of the Journal. In the other 20 minutes several unimportant routine matters were considered and a joint resolution offered by Mr. Spaulding (Rep.) of Michigan read and referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs looking to the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands.

The resolution was as follows: "That Congress doth consent that the territory properly included with and rightfully belonging to the government of Hawaii and commonly known as the Sandwich Islands may be erected into a new State to be called the State of Hawaii with a republican form of government, to be adopted by the people of said government of Hawaii by deputies in convention assembled with the consent of the existing government in order that the same may be admitted as one of the States of this Union."

"Further, that the foregoing consent of Congress be given upon the following condition and with the following guarantees to wit:

"(1) Said State to be formed subject to the adjustment by this government of all questions of boundary or jurisdiction that may arise with other governments or former governments of Hawaii; and the constitution thereof with the people of the government of Hawaii shall be transmitted to the President of the United States to be laid before Congress for its final action on or before Jan. 1, 1898.

"(2) Said State when admitted into the Union after ceding to the United States all public property and means belonging to the government of Hawaii shall retain all public funds and every kind which may belong to or be due said government and also all vacant and unpopulated land lying within its limits to be applied to the payments of the debts and liabilities of said government of Hawaii, the residue of said lands to be disposed of as said State may direct; but in no case shall said debts and liabilities to become a charge upon the United States.

"Further, that if the President of the United States shall in his judgment deem it most advisable instead of proceeding to submit the foregoing resolution to the government of Hawaii as an overture on the part of the United States for admission, to negotiate with that government, then

"Resolved, that a State to be formed out of the present government of Hawaii with one representative in Congress shall be admitted into the Union by virtue of this act as soon as the terms and conditions of such admission shall be agreed upon by the governments of Hawaii and the United States and that \$200,000 be appropriated to defray the expenses of missions and negotiations either by treaty or articles as the President may direct."

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Senator Teller Announces His Intentions in Regard to Silver.

Washington, Jan. 8.—If the Republican members of the Senate Committee on Finance act in accordance with the vote of the Republican caucus this afternoon, and if Mr. Jones persists in his intention to demand that raw sugar shall be provided by the House in every other schedule, there will probably be a deadlock in the committee and the bill cannot be reported. There is a general belief, however, that Mr. Jones will relent and act with the Republicans.

The resolution introduced yesterday by Mr. Quay declaring it to be the sense of the caucus that the Republicans should report the tariff bill from the committee as it came from the House, passed the caucus this afternoon after an hour and a half of debate without division and by a practically unanimous vote. The chief point in the discussion was the probable attitude of the silver-Republicans. Many of them were outspoken in their desire to have the tariff bill pass and declared that it would be unwise to place a free coinage rider thereon, especially in view of the fact that such a bill was passed before the Senate and would be passed before action was had on the tariff bill.

Mr. Teller of Colorado threw a bomb

among his associates when he made a vigorous speech and said that for one he proposed to assist in placing a free coinage amendment on every tariff bill until such a measure became a law. He would not only vote to put it on this bill, but he declared it to be his intention to endeavor to assist in having such an amendment placed on a tariff bill in the next Congress if the Republicans control both branches of the legislature and the executive. The statement embarrassed the Republicans greatly.

Mr. Teller did not only say that he would offer such an amendment, but stated positively that if offered he would vote for it. Other silver men expressed the intention of being satisfied with the free coinage substitute to the bond bill. Conservative silver men will not join him in this vote, and the vote of the sound money men on the other side of the chamber are counted upon to defeat such a proposition.

Just as the caucus was about to adjourn Mr. Teller asked when the Republicans proposed to consider the question of the reorganization of the elective officers of the Senate, and suggested this would be as good a time as any. Nevertheless, Mr. Mitchell made a motion to adjourn, and it was carried. This left the silver men and new Senators in the lurch. They are the ones who have been urging reorganization, and they were somewhat angered to think that the adjournment had been carried on the motion of one of their own men.

Immediately a request was circulated for Mr. Sherman, chairman of the caucus, to issue a call for another caucus, and it was generally signed, the names attached to it including Eastern men as well as Western and silver men. This caucus will be called probably to-morrow, and will deal with the subject of the further organization of the Senate.

IMPORTANT BILL.

To Authorize One Thousand Additional Men for the Regular Army.

Washington, Jan. 8.—A very important bill urged by the Secretary of the Navy was favorably reported from the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs to-day. It authorized the Secretary of the Navy to add 1,000 additional men for the use of the regular army, this number the lowest estimate being needed for the new ships that have been placed in commission. The bill also gives the Secretary authority in any emergency that may arise to enlist the services of the naval militia of the several States for manning the auxiliary cruisers and if this should be not sufficient to enlist any more men as may be sufficient for the purpose. The bill carries an appropriation of \$300,000 for 1,000 men added to the regular navy.

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REGARDING MORE BATTLESHIPS.

Secretary Herbert's Reply to Senator Quay's Resolution.

Washington, Jan. 8.—In response to the Quay resolution requiring information as to whether the Navy Department deemed it advisable to build six battleships instead of the two authorized by the last Congress, on the basis of the bids submitted for these two Secretary Herbert sent to the Senate to-day a long letter on the subject.

After informing the Senate that contracts for both the battleships authorized have already been awarded to the New-Port News Ship Building and Dry Dock company, the Secretary says the department does not deem it advisable to recommend that any bids received and accepted should be further considered, because it sees no reason why, if other ships are now authorized the building of them should not be also open to competition.

If an advertisement for new bids for battleships were issued, he says, 10 days from the date thereof for receiving and opening the bids would give ample time and opportunity for competition under such an advertisement.

He also said in his cases heretofore, call for bids upon plans of the bidders might be submitted upon the new bids.

COAST DEFENSE.

A Meeting of the Senate Committee to Discuss Funds.

Washington, Jan. 8.—A meeting of the Senate Committee on Coast Defense was held this morning. General Craighill, chief of engineers, and his assistant, Captain Black, of the engineer corps, made important statements. General Craighill explained to the committee the great need of immediate action and stated the amount which could be economically expended by the bureau of engineers for that purpose during the current fiscal year, and the larger additional amount for each year thereafter until the completion of the project of the government. The defenses were explained, of the sea coast cities and the amount proposed in Senator Quay's bill for coast defense is not only none too large, but absolutely required. General Craighill explained that if the bill shall be passed immediately the sum of \$4,500,000 it is believed economically expended by the bureau of engineers alone during the present fiscal year.

The committee then proceeded to investigate the question of torpedoes. The committee will continue its sessions daily during the present week and next week, hoping to be able to report a bill at an early date.

For Coast Defense.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Before Secretary Herbert left this morning for New York, he set on foot inquiries as to how quick the coast defense monitors might be made, Terror or service. Statements furnished by the bureau concerned showed that the Monitor, recently placed out of commission, at League Island, could be re-commissioned within two weeks; that the Monitor can be finished by the first of February, and that the completion of the Monitor is at hand. The reason for the request made by the Secretary cannot be ascertained.

The Navy Department has been informed that the cruiser Minneapolis left Alexandria for Syria, on the 6th inst.

HAVANA CITIZENS WILL AID GOMEZ.

Majority of the Fighting Population in Sympathy With Insurgents.

THEY AWAIT DELIVERANCE.

When Free from Power of Spanish Troops They Will Aid the Revolution—Spanish Volunteers are Dissatisfied With Gomez.

New York, Jan. 8.—The Spaniards will say to-morrow: Señor Sidel Pierre, a Cuban merchant in this city, who has been communicating with friends among the insurgents, scoffed yesterday at the statement that Gen. Gomez, chief of the Spanish soldiers in Havana, Señor Pierre declares positively that the insurgent general will make an attack and will take the city. It is not Gomez's intention to remain in Havana any longer than it will take to ransack it for arms, ammunition and supplies and recruit his forces from sympathizers who are kept under cover by the presence of the Spanish soldiers. Gomez is now within 12 miles of Havana, and one of his first moves will be to cut off the city's water supply.

Senor Pierre made the rather startling declaration that Gomez could take Havana with 2,000 men and in support of this statement he said that the Spanish volunteers were so thoroughly dissatisfied with Gen. Campos that they were ready to do anything to aid the insurgents. It is said that they intend to make certain demands upon Campos as a pretext which they know he will refuse, and will then give a signal to Gomez to make the attack when the volunteers will promptly desert to the insurgent ranks.

There are 35,000 citizens in Havana old enough to fight, and the majority of these are in sympathy with Gomez and only await deliverance from the presence of the Spanish soldiers to throw their support in aid of the revolution.

Gomez, Senor Pierre declares, will leave it with a force of at least 30,000. Frederick R. Couder, when in Havana, of the subject of the recognition of the Cubans as belligerents, said: "As a general proposition it may be said that unless the citizens or subjects in rebellion have acquired some area of territory, some considerable town or some seaport, which they may call their own, and hold against their adversaries, or to put it differently, until they are in a position where they receive foreign visitors and negotiations under their own authority and protection and exercise acts of power exclusive of the mother country until this occurs they are not usually in a position to demand recognition."

"Whether the insurgents in Cuba should be recognized as belligerents must depend upon a question of fact. They must establish the existence of a de facto political organization of such character as to constitute it an independent state with the ability to discharge the duties of that condition."

The rule of Spain in Cuba, whatever may have been its Raison d'etre in the past, is to-day anachronism and the American people have but little patience with anachronism. On the whole it may be said, leaving out our sentimental leaning, the insurrection must have earned its title to recognition."

GREAT GUNS.

Additional Armament for the Defense of Havana.

Havana, Dec. 31. Via Tampa, Fla., Jan. 8.—Four heavy siege guns have just been disembarked at La Machina in this harbor. They will complete the several batteries of this city. These are the heaviest and most effective guns in the West Indies. A temporary railway with which to transport them to their several positions was laid. Some days will be necessary to get them in position.

Their extreme length is 37 feet, circumference at breech 30 feet, diameter of bore 12 inches, muzzle 10 feet. They are of steel and rifled, having 36 grooves. The weight of each gun is 106,500 pounds, or over 50 tons. Their projectiles are of two kinds, both shells, one having a bursting charge of 13 pounds, the other 48 pounds. The guns are breech-loading. The weight of the projectiles is 1,013 pounds, height of shell 36 to 46 inches and range 9 miles.

An Official Account.

Havana, Dec. 30. Via Tampa, Fla., Jan. 8.—The following official account of the battle of Soderes was sent to The Island Press last evening: "A column from the battalion of Navarro, under command of Lieut. Perera to-day (the 29th) had an engagement with the enemy near Colimete. It resulted in a serious action with the forces under Maximo Gomez, who greatly outnumbered our force. The result was that the several positions held by them on the Zondinez estate, and the enemy was forced to scatter."

The column which was composed of 80 men had an officer and four men killed and 20 officers and 60 men wounded, all of whom were taken to Colimete. An hour after the engagement cannon shots were heard in the direction of the Maria estate. It is believed that the same body of rebels had an engagement with the forces under Col. Lemio.

Removed Battle.

Havana, Jan. 8.—It is reported here this afternoon that a great battle has been fought near Artemus, a town near Guanajay, the base of operations of the rebels. The report has it that the insurgents were surrounded by Spanish troops, and under Gen. Suarez, Valdez, Madan and Navarro, and it is believed they met with a complete defeat. No details of the fight can be obtained. It is said that the rebel leader Nunez was killed in yesterday's battle with Gen. Navarro's forces, and that the rebels lost 200 men.

Informal Interview.

Washington, Jan. 8. Gen. Thomas Estrada Palma, and the other members of the Cuban revolutionary committee now in Washington, have had an interview with Secretary Olney on the subject of

recognition of Cuban belligerency by the government of the United States. It was expressly stipulated by Secretary Olney that the interview should be informal and Gen. Palma was therefore not given any standing in his capacity of envoy to the United States from the Cuban provisional government. Secretary Olney did not, of course, commit himself with reference to the matter.

SPANISH REPORTS.

Rebels Persistently Decline to Stand Still and be Annihilated.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The following cablegram from General Martinez Campos was received at the Spanish legation late this afternoon: "The column of General Navarro had an engagement lasting three hours with the main bands of Maceo and Gomez in Celba Del Agua, dispersing them. Twenty dead have been found and buried by our soldiers. The Spanish loss was slight—four officers wounded and 20 casualties among the men, either killed or badly wounded. The troops captured numbers of horses, arms and ammunition. The column is reconnoitering the scene and many columns are following the insurgents. "The army is in high spirits and Havana is completely quiet."

Minister Dupuy DeLoime also received a long cablegram from the government at Madrid, giving a summary of the latest official reports received there from the commander-in-chief in Cuba. These reports show that it is exceedingly difficult to get a fight with the bands of marauders which are continually galloping about burning and pillaging the defenseless plantations and small villages. General Echaguen, who is in the rear of the insurgents, has twice succeeded in overtaking a few of the bands and capturing some prisoners. General Campos says the rebels never stop long enough to be overtaken in any considerable numbers.

In the invasion of Pinar Del Rio, by the insurgents, small bands of hand-picked men preceded the main forces of the insurgents and caused more damage than Maceo and Gomez. Yesterday 1000 men were sent by sea to Colombia, the port of Pinar Del Rio, to reinforce the troops there. In the rest of entire western Cuba nothing of a revolutionary character is occurring. Minister Dupuy DeLoime expresses his full confidence that these dispatches give an exactly truthful statement of affairs and he courts the comparison of these dispatches with news from other sources which secure publicity from day to day in several newspapers which have been proved so unreliable recently.

To Drill Insurgents.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 8. Cuban agents from New York in the interest of the revolutionary cause in Cuba are in the city endeavoring to secure officers from the Ninth regiment to drill their soldiers in Cuba. Lieut. Jabez Phillips has been offered \$100 a month and free transportation to Cuba. He has refused the offer. It is learned that two officers from Scranton and five from Binghamton have accepted the position, and will leave for Cuba some time this week to become instructors in the insurgent army.

WHERE COLORADO GOLD GOES.

Indefinite Report that the Bond Syndicate Controls It.

Denver, Jan. 8.—The story that the bond syndicate has secured control of the gold output of Colorado is most indefinite. Gold obtained by sluicing and from stamp mills is sold to the branch mint in this city. The gold bearing ores are sold to the smelters, who in turn sell the bullion product to the Philadelphia mint or to brokers and refiners in several cities of the East. One smelter of Denver has contracted to deliver its gold bullion in Chicago to an Aurora, Ill., refiner at the mint price; another sells at a slight premium to a New York City refiner; a third ships its product to New Orleans.

The gold after refining is sold on the open market, and the only way the bond syndicate can get a corner on gold is to purchase all the gold offered on the daily market. It is impossible to contract a delivery of gold in advance of smelter treatment, as it is not a fixed quantity in any ore shipment, nor can the smelter managers in advance calculate upon their receipts. A smelter manager here stated to-day that it is not impossible to especially difficult for a syndicate to buy up all the gold in the daily offerings.

OBJECTED TO ROAD WORK.

A Young Englishman Will Cause International Correspondence.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 8. Charles Eyre, a young Englishman, is likely to cause considerable correspondence between the British foreign office and the United States Department of State. Eyre has been residing at Lawley in Bradford county for about 15 months. A week ago he was summoned to do road duty. He claimed that he was not a naturalized citizen and tore up the summons. He was immediately arrested and lodged in jail at Starke, Fla., where he now is. He is very bitter over his imprisonment, and says he proposes to see that the British government secures indemnity for him. A Starke lawyer was here to-day to see the British vice consul in the interest of Eyre, and it is understood the matter will be laid before Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador at Washington.

On a Wager.

Pittsburg, Jan. 8. George Leonard, a young moulder of San Francisco, arrived in Pittsburg at 4 o'clock this afternoon, on his way from San Francisco to Boston on a wager of \$5,000 that the trip could not be made in 20 days. He is to make his way without the expenditure of a cent, and earn while en route \$200, which he is to possess at the end of the journey. He has been on the road 14 days and hopes to get to Boston within a week.

International Chess.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 8.—There was only one game played at the local club yesterday, which completed the first sitting in the fourth round of the international chess tournament. The result was as follows: Tschigorin (white) beat Steinitz after 25 moves. The record up to date is: Lasker won 6½ lost 3½; Pillsbury won 6½ lost 3½; Steinitz won 4½ lost 5½; Tschigorin won 4½ lost 5½.

ANOTHER STRIKE FOR GOLD HILL.

Also Recording Another One For the Anchorage Leland Co.

FIVE FEET OF FREE GOLD ORE.

In a Chute on the East End of the Chance—Near the Summit of the Hill—A Big Pump for the Independence Annex Strike.

Special to The Gazette. Cripple Creek, Jan. 8.—A big strike was made on Gold Hill to-day which not only records another strike for that rich and famous locality, but also for the Anchorage Leland company. The new find was made on the Chance claim and it is the east end of that vein that has been opened up. The property is being worked under lease by Messrs. Porter, Tipton and others, the first lease ran out on the first of the year, but it was extended by the company for a period of six months.

The shaft is now down about 50 feet, and it was at this point that the discovery was made. It is in the shape of an ore chute. The ore is five feet wide, directly covering the bottom of the shaft. The rock from the chute is very rich, and when it is roasted a good quantity of gold bubbles out. In its natural state free and rusty gold can be seen upon it and it must assay very high. Mr. Howbert, who has charge of the Anchorage Leland company's properties, says that he is of the opinion that it is already a mine.

The location of the strike is very high up near the summit of the hill. The lessees have been working for several months, but the only encouragement that they received prior to the present strike was the finding of a crevice or pocket of ore which soon played out, but which contained some free gold.

The Atlanta, Cripple Creek and Greeley Gold Mining company are pushing work on their two claims on Copper mountain. There is a tunnel in the hill a distance of 50 feet and a contract has been let to drive it an additional 200 feet. The claims are situated next to the Copper Mountain company's claims.

The Calcey lease on the Last Dollar has been purchased by the company for \$2,500. The company now proposes to put improved machinery on the ground and sink the shaft about 600 feet.

The big blider pump for the Independence arrived at the mine to-day. It is a very fine piece of machinery, and has a capacity for raising 800 gallons of water per minute. It will be placed in the sixth level, where a chamber 25x47 has been put out.

One of the big phonolite dykes that pass through Raven hill was opened up the Galconda lode to-day. The claim is owned by the Iron Duke, which also owns a claim by that name and which lies alongside the Galconda. The company is flattered with the present prospects. The claims lie between the Moose and the Elkton, and expect to find ore in the contact.

MAY BE FATAL.

Two Miners Badly Injured by an Explosion in a Mine.

Special to The Gazette. Cripple Creek, Jan. 8.—A serious explosion occurred here which may cause the death of a miner. That one of more men were not instantly killed by the explosion is a matter to wonder at. It seems that a mine named William Corbin and J. J. Lavin were at work in the Tinney-Winsey shaft, which is down 35 feet. Corbin was holding the drill and Lavin was doing the striking. They were drilling in an old hole which had been filled with giant powder the previous day, and which had failed to explode for some reason or other. The concussion caused by the striking caused a large explosion, and for a while both men lay stunned in the bottom of the shaft. Eventually Corbin came to and managed after a hard struggle to get out of the shaft and give the alarm. Both men received speedy medical attendance, when it was found that Corbin will lose one, if not both eyes, his nose is split, his lips blown off and his throat lashed and lacerated. Lavin is in a very precarious condition, and may die.

Lavin was badly hurt, too, and will lose one eye as a result of the explosion. Both men are married and live in Cripple Creek. The Tinney-Winsey is located in Poverty gulch, just above the C. O. D. mine.

STILL AT WORK.

Position is Dangerous but There Hopes Left Yet.

Special to The Gazette. Victor, Jan. 8. 2 a. m.—The work of the rescue party in the Arna Lee shaft continues unabated and is now being proceeded with much quicker than for the past two days. The work has now been systematized, and three shifts of men, each shift having four men, are now employed upon the work. Parties who wish to sustain hopes in the friends of the drowned men have been circulating false reports. For instance, it was given out yesterday that the rescue party had reached the third level. Such is not the case, as the men are now at work on the fourth level and are now working their way up to the third.

Messrs. Billy Phelps, Mike Ryan and

Phil Harnan have the direction of the work in hand and all three are not only excellent miners but very brave men, as they have to be for this kind of work. To-day 36 feet were added to the shaft. Every foot of the ground is braced with heavy timbers so that there may be no fatalities among the rescuers. A good deal of shoring up is necessary, as this is done a number of men are placed in various parts of the mine to watch the effect it has on the main bodies of rock and to see if the air is liable to cause any further caving.

Since entering the shaft the workers have untied 15 feet and it is hoped to reach the third level to-night (Thursday). The air is very good with a fair amount of elevation, much better indeed than had been anticipated. This gives hope to the rescue party that they may even yet find some of the men alive and it is they who are more sanguine of doing so than any one else. They think that they may find some of the men, though they think the shock will be too much for anyone to live through and the doctors are waiting to be called at any moment so as to do all in their power for any men who may yet be rescued.

OKLAHOMA WANTS STATEHOOD.

Intense Rivalry for the Situation of the Capital.

Oklahoma, Jan. 8.—The statehood convention which was called to order here to-day promises to be the warmest gathering ever held in the Territory. Nearly all of the delegates are in favor of statehood for Oklahoma, but there are almost as many schemes for attaining it as there are delegates. Ever since Oklahoma was first opened to settlement there has been intense rivalry between the different towns.

Congress provided that the first Legislature of Oklahoma should meet at Guthrie and fix the territorial capital. Then began a fight of the bitterest kind between the different towns. Legislatures voted the capital three times to Oklahoma City, and once of Kingfisher, but Gov. Steele vetoed it every time, and the capital remains at Guthrie.

The location of the future capital in Oklahoma as a State will depend largely on the boundary lines of the new State. If a State is made of Oklahoma with its present boundaries, Kingfisher or El Reno would be near the center and would stand better chances for the capital than either Guthrie or Oklahoma City, an extreme eastern edge of the State. So Kingfisher and El Reno favor immediate statehood of Oklahoma with its present bounds and the Perry, Guthrie and Oklahoma City people are against it.

When the body met to-day the war was opened over the selection of a committee on credentials, and the admission of the delegates from the Cherokee Nation. The latter were finally admitted and then the adjournment was taken until to-morrow.

GOV. WIST'S MESSAGE.

Recommendations for Action by Utah's Legislature.

Salt Lake, Jan. 8. Governor Wrist's message was heard in the legislature this afternoon. It deals minutely with most matters calling for legislation required to make the provisions of the constitution operative. It states that the bonded indebtedness of the State is \$300,000 and the floating indebtedness \$100,000, and his excellency recommends that the increased expenses incidental to statehood be met by an issue of 4 per cent bonds. Attention is called to the election of two United States Senators.

Liberal appropriations for the University of Utah and other educational establishments are recommended; also favorable consideration for the adoption of the Australian ballot system in the State.

Other matters recommended are the appointment of a State engineer whose duties shall principally be to further the irrigation system; the enactment of laws for the preservation of forests; for the appointment of a board of arbitration to settle labor disputes; for the granting of reasonable State bounties to infant industries; for the preservation of differentation in charges or transportation facilities by railroads, and for the appointment of a commission to carry out the designs of the legislature in this regard; for the acceptance by the State of the government grant of arid lands; for the abolition of the fee system and the payment of State officers by salaries as provided in the constitution; for liberal appropriations for the maintenance of the State militia.

It is suggested that the legislature memorialize Congress for the passage of a bill for the free coinage of silver and for the allowance of \$10,000, the amount of the deficiency in the appropriation made by Congress for the expenses of the constitutional convention. The building of a State capital at this time is not advised.

Medical College's Outlay.

Kansas City, Jan. 8.—The State board of health, in session at St. Louis Monday, authorized three Kansas City Medical Colleges as follows: The University Medical, the Wewas Medical and the Homoeopathic Medical. Notice of this action was made public to-day by Secretary King.

The board has absolute power in all matters relating to the practice of medicine in the State and if a college is declared not to be in good standing the diplomas issued by it are void.

Destroyed by Fire.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 8.—The Mount Lookout coal breaker near Wyoming was destroyed by fire this evening. Loss nearly \$30,000. The breaker was owned and operated by Simpson & Watkins, and employed 300 men. The fire originated from a hot journal in the rollers.

G. A. R. Encampment.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—The Western Pioneer association to-day practically agreed on the rate for the G. A. R. national encampment to be held in St. Paul next September. It will be no a basis of 1 cent a mile, with a very short bill paying the people only a going and coming allowance.

Indiana Democracy.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 8.—The free silver element in the Democracy of Indiana met defeat in the conventions held in 13 Congressional districts to-day for the election of members of the State committee. The money question was the only point upon which any issue was made. Of the 13 elected seven are opposed to free coinage, five are for it and one is classed as doubtful.

NYE ON STAMMERS.

SOME EXAMPLES THAT HAVE COME UNDER HIS OBSERVATION.

Incidents in the Life of Lute Taylor, the Sweet Tempered, Sunny Stutterer Who Showed What He Might Have Done, Some of the Things That He Did Do.

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We were talking about stammering the other evening and of how philosophically some took it, while others seemed to feel, you know, as though it were a mark of divine wrath. As some men are born bald, while others acquire baldness and yet others have baldness thrust upon them, so it is with stammering.

I was reminded at the time of Lute Taylor, a philosophical stammerer. He was a sweet tempered, sunny soul, and when he laid aside his tasks, 22 years ago, I make no doubt that he entered into the joys of that life where stammering tongue is heard, "but where language is music, life is thought and law is love."

Most of us start out in life to be Raphaels, to paint a masterpiece or carve an eloquent statue from the dumb and pulseless stone, but at 35 we decide to



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put a tail on it and call it a dog, or, as Thoreau says, "The boy gathers materials for a temple and then when he is 80 concludes to build a wood shed."

"But there was one among us," says Taylor's biographer, "who had not made this failure. He had kept his heart." He had no time to make money. It was said that his stammer was like a dam that holds the water back to give it power to turn the wheel and set a thousand shuttles dancing and gleaming in a glad, swift minuet.

Taylor only showed what he might have done and then died instead of accomplishing a great deal and thus irritating a lot of small literary bound pups who years after might attract momentary attention to themselves by barking at the front door of his reputation. There's nothing so discomfiting to the valor of a backslider as the cool haughtiness of the silent tomb.

Mr. Taylor edited The Morning Leader of La Crosse, Wis., and wrote humorous and poetic prose, not alone on a salary, but to the hungry hearts of his friends. Generosity and wealth combined could do no more.

When he went to La Crosse, a prominent contractor was building a bridge over the Mississippi. Every morning a pale, round faced man with blue eyes used to come and watch the pile driver as the big hammer weighing hundreds of pounds slowly rose to its full height and then, as if by mistake, dropped back with a wicked plunk on the top of a quivering pile so as to send little shuddering waves in a million circles over the water.

When the mighty iron weight arose, the pale, sad face would follow it, and when it fell the jaw and head would drop with it till the weary watcher's neck began to get tired, and then the weary watcher would go away. In the morning he would come back again and do it all over. This went on that way for a week or ten days, and the contractor got so that he looked for the strange youth to come and sort of conduct the morning exercises. After a week had gone by and nothing had been said the pale director who had been punctuating the pile driver's work stole up to the contractor and said:

"D-d-d do you own that th-th-th-th-th-th-th?"

"Yes," said the contractor, "that's mine."

"We-well," said the pale student, "I've b-b-b been thinking a g-g-g-g-g-g-g deal about that and the t-t-t-t-t trouble you have with it, and I o-o-o-o-o can fix that thing so that it'll s-s-s-s-s stay up there."

Afterward the contractor said he learned that the sweet faced youth with the guileless heart was Lute Taylor, the editor of The Leader.

Taylor said that the "Black Crook" as produced in New York might be immortal, but thanks to the sterling integrity of the west nothing could be more free from such a charge than the performance in St. Paul. It was as proper as a girl's recess at a district school in the glad summer time. It was a spectacle which, so far as legs seemed to go, reminded him of a visit to Rus Mungler's piano store on Third street or the turning lathe on the south fork of the Kinnikinnick. The "Black Crook" as given in St. Paul was not only absolutely free from sin, but with its realistic

representation of hell, occupied almost entirely by bad actors, the play became at once a great moral engine and power for good. (Possibly I may not recall the exact language, but this was the spirit of it.)

Mr. Taylor said that, considering the prominence given to a man by stammering, he wondered that others so stupid people did not give more attention to this science. He was a Republican himself and was once accused by a Democrat of being entirely unknown except on account of this affliction. Taylor said that on reflection he was surprised to see how truthful this was, considering the unreliable source from which it came.

He also claimed that in joint debate where his political adversaries had insisted on giving him a lot of time with lavish generosity, sometimes a couple of hours for 15 minutes of desultory remarks, he had in righteous wrath overcome his stuttering for the time and made such a good record that the enemy fled in dismay.

Also another advantage of stammering discovered early in life was this: In recitations at school, especially in the languages, he found that by extending the jaw and going into a slight trance he could appeal to the hardened tutor in such a way as to escape the usual punishment for inadequate study and thus give himself that much coveted leisure and out of door exercise and polemological research which his system seemed to crave.

In the summer of 1857 Mr. Taylor was publishing The Journal at River Falls, Wis. There were five good stammerers in the village, each in an active state of eruption. Each had a style of his own. They were a little jealous of each other, but each claimed to have a distinct stutter that was characteristic of himself and also to have created the part. So you see they did not clash much after all.

Taylor's stutter was offered in such a gentle sort of a quizzical way, with an upward curve of the mouth at the corners and such a luscious twinkle of the eye, that you sort of felt flattered by it, as though he had been doing it to please and entertain you. But D. J. Levings, a house, sign and carriage painter, gainer and glider of River Falls, always looked mad about something when he stuttered, and a wicked glimmer came into his eye, such as you will witness in the aggravated and outraged hen.

Mr. Levings was school director in 1857, and Mr. Taylor was clerk of the board. In conversation Mr. Levings, according to Taylor, worked everything about his face except his voice and did everything but talk.

Mr. Henry K. White was also a good, competent and earnest stutterer, considering what meager advantages he had as a child. He put less emotion into the business than the others, but he was more even and reliable and could always be depended upon to work very faithfully and say mighty little.

In 1859 the foreman of The Journal was William J. McMaster, a first class printer. He was one of the purest, sweetest and kindest printers that ever squirted the juice out of an open column of dead matter into the eager eye of a novice. Mr. McMaster could set up a whole paper easier than he could converse eight minutes. He hated to stutter



THE ATOMIZER.

and had an apologetic way. It was known that the editor stammered, and so when Taylor was gone McMaster could be the understudy, and many people to this day think they met and swapped conversation for consonants with Taylor when it was really McMaster.

Strange to say, McMaster was not on the school board. He did not come till after the regular annual school meeting.

There was also a fifth man, living over about where the Junction will now stand. He was called the Atomizer. Most everybody got out of the way when he began to scatter dentals and labials around over the thirsty earth. He happened to be on the street when George W. Witherill rode into the village for the purpose of securing the job of tutoring the River Falls public school. Mr. Witherill was young and put together in a sportive mood, if one might be permitted to use that expression. He inquired about the school board, and the Atomizer began to spray the western hemisphere with information and cover George W. Witherill with facts that could hardly be called dry facts. With a will took a few of these facts and has toned down street with his umbrella still up.

At the corner he asked again about the location of The Journal office and happened to inquire of Henry K. White, the earnest stutterer. Henry did the best

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He could, but he read horror in the face of George W. Witherill, who thought he had struck a colony of conversational obstructionists.

Getting a clew to The Journal office and timidly entering it, he encountered William J. McMaster.

"Is Mr. Taylor, the editor, in?" asked George W. Witherill, instinctively running up his umbrella.

Mr. McMaster took a large bite of climate, opened his hands and closed them, shut his eyes tight, gave a gurgle and a whistle that shook down a pathetic editorial; then he opened his mouth, and one could see his larynx quiver in the rich autumnal sunshine, but it was some time before he could state, with a jerk, that Mr. Taylor was out, but would be back soon.

Mr. Witherill seemed sort of faint after this, and as he sat down at the desk he moved the paste away, so that he could not smell it, and asked for water. By and by Mr. Taylor came in and was introduced by Mr. McMaster.

Mr. Witherill went over and opened a window. Taylor saw at once that Mr. Witherill was extremely nervous, and, to say, afraid of the cars, so he said that the only way he saw was to go and consult Mr. Levings, the director, who could talk fluently. They found Mr. Levings painting a house, and some of the green from a set of new blinds had adhered to Mr. Levings' features and gave him a savage air, as who should say: "I am on the warpath now. Beware!"

Mr. Taylor introduced him with an unnecessary amount of backing and filling and subterfuge gurgling that shook a quart of plums from a small tree nearby and sent a tortoise shell rattle up the side of the freshly painted house.

Mr. Levings replied with a fierce hesitation and general congestion that made Mr. Witherill quail.

He did not get the school, but people who saw him two or three miles out of town running said that he was resigned and cheerily went into the digging of ginseng, which is a quiet life, full of communion with nature.

Mr. Taylor, though laying no claim to great piety or goodness, by his sweet philosophy and his ability to draw comfort and even amusement from all the harsh rebuffs of outrageous fortune, even as he did out of this severe affliction, taught those who knew him a gentle and generous lesson better than all the cold, hard, cruel maxims howled out by weak and brilliant men who through all ages have constructed a philosophy exclusively for the admiration and use of other people.

Just to Save Trouble.
The bill collector merely poked his head inside the door, expecting to receive the usual request to call again, but the debtor surprised him by asking him to come in.

"Now look here," said the debtor impressively. "I want you to answer a few questions for me honestly and fairly."

"All right. Go ahead," returned the collector.

"Did you really expect to get anything by calling here this afternoon?" asked the debtor.

"Frankly, I did not," replied the collector.

"You would really be surprised if I paid you something on account, wouldn't you?"

"I would."

"Then, as I understand it, you call here once a week merely as a matter of principle?"

"That's it."

"You feel that it is a part of your duty to make a demand upon me once in so often?"

"I do."

"Well, I wouldn't have you shirk your duty for anything, but it seems to me as if you were unnecessarily wasting time."

"But how can I help it if you won't pay up?"

"Use the telephone," replied the debtor cheerfully. "That would be quicker for you and not nearly so annoying to me. That's all today. You may call me up next Thursday, and I'll tell you when to call me up again." Chicago Post.

Canary Lovemaking.

The leading bird fancier of this city makes a specialty of canaries. He believes that they can almost talk. "It's a curious thing," he said the other day, "the courtship of canaries, like human beings in a way. I have a beautiful ladybird singer, and a friend brought me a fine, stalwart gentleman bird from Germany the other day. I put the two cages together, and you should have seen the fun."

about the weather, I suppose, and, by Jove! in less than an hour, when my back was turned, I saw them in the looking glass kissing each other. That's a fact.

"The male canary always remembers his mate and can tell her whistle in a roomful of birds. One little chap, who was in a cage with six others, nearly broke his wings to get out when he heard the chirp of his mate, whom I had just brought back after a two weeks' absence in the country. When canaries are hatching, the proud, prospective papa takes his turn on the eggs and feeds his mate very generously, sometimes making 25 trips to the seedbox and carrying water in his bill. My salad bill in the summer is large. Lettuce or watercress they need in the warm weather, and a red pepper pod is a treat. It's excellent for their digestion. Young birds like rolled cracker crumbs and hard boiled eggs chopped and mixed." New York Letter in Boston Advertiser.

SOCRATES.

He Arrives Home From a Seven Days' Journey in Syracuse.

Socrates slid somewhat hesitatingly into the room and began taking off his sandals.

"Oh!" remarked Xantippe, and she held on to the wall for quite a spell, till it appeared, to consist of several syllables, each with a falling inflection.

"Oh!" she repeated, and this time she emphasized all the syllables at once, and gritted her teeth.

For Socrates, so the local paper said, had been up to Syracuse for a season to dispose of exactly rights in some of his new styles of philosophy, but it was generally known among the boys that he'd been taking in the football games, and a high old time he'd had of it.

"M'love," he said in a mollifying tone, while he worked off a sandal and laid it carefully on the plush covered album, "it's all right!"

"I know it's all right," retorted Xantippe with grim humor, "and a trifle too much of it, with you off cutting up and me at home here tending four stoves all alone. Go lug me up a hod of coal."

Socrates had summoned his philosophy to endure whatever might come forth by way of temper, but at the mention of coal his haughty spirit rebelled. He drew himself up proudly and the effort sobered him.

In story books it seems an easy thing for a man to get sober.

"Xantippe," he said, speaking in the purest of Greek grammar, "is thy husband a dog that he should do this thing? Nay, but by my striped toga I will not. I am not strong enough."

"Not strong enough?" echoed Xantippe in a rising note that ended in a shriek. "Not strong enough?"

"No," rejoined the old man loudly. "Have I not but just returned from a seven days' sojourn in Syracuse?"

"Yes, oh, yes," assented Xantippe, tapping her heels and giving forth a hysterical scream to notify the neighbors that something worth while was impending.

Socrates wiped off his chin with a gesture of bold defiance.

"Well, then," he concluded in a tone of dignified triumph, "that settles it, for it is a well known proposition, long since laid down and embellished by the ancient Jews, that seven days make one week. Lug up the coal your self."

And with that, children, Socrates got into bed without even the formality of removing his other sandal. New York Recorder.

It Was Business.

"These goods are marked down one-half in order to clear out old stock," read the sign in the store window.

The retired tradesman sighed as he saw it. "Life is full of deceits," he said reflectively, "and especially business life. Now, if those goods really were old stock, do you suppose they'd be marked down?"

"Why not?" said I.

"Because the firm never could get rid of them if you ever go into trade, John, and find yourself possessed of a lot of old stock that you want to get rid of, the thing to do is to mark up the price instead of marking it down."

"How so?" said I.

"When I was in business," he replied, "I remember one time we had a lot of fancy shirt fronts gaudy things, you know, moons and stars on them, and all that. They were in wretched taste and we could not sell them. So, after they had lain around awhile, we marked the price up one-half and stuck them in the window as the very latest Paris importation. If they had been cheap, nobody would have had them. But the average buyer judges almost wholly of value by price. So when we put the price up, everybody thought they must be something extra, and so we sold the whole lot inside of three days. There's tricks in all trades, John."

—Buffalo Express.

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Gal. New York apples... 23
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7 lbs buckwheat flour... 40
27 bars White Russian soap... 1.00
100 lbs Pride of Colorado flour... 1.00
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25 fine bottle white meal... 30
6 lbs choice raisins... 24
Fancy Oregon prunes... 11
4 lbs choice rice... 25
7 lbs navy bean, per gal... 25
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Fine Colorado cheese, per lb... 15
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FOR SALE—A '94 Victoria lady's bicycle, in perfect condition and complete, with russet leather wheel guards, tilting saddle and bell. For \$35. Owner gone east. Apply W. F. Crosby, 43 Hagerman building.

FOR SALE—A good cow, No. 9 W. Las Animas.

FOR SALE—Good walnut desk. Call before 10. J. F. Carpenter, 109 E. Kiowa.

FOR SALE—Or Exchange, for residence property here good residence at Cripple Creek. Address P. O. Box 534, city.

FOR SALE—Cheap, handsome seal caps. I will take good mining stock in exchange. Apply 212 N. Tejon.

FOR SALE—A cheap young gentleman horse with saddle and harness. Will ride or drive. Inquire at 23 E. Kiowa st., bet 11 and 12 o'clock.

FOR SALE—Or trade, gentle family horse with buggy and harness, cheap, or will take low price mining stock. Call or address 511 N. Weber st.

FOR SALE—A piano, cheap. Inquire 213 N. Weber.

FOR SALE—A ranch wagon, team and harness, or will exchange for good mining stock. Address N., Gazette.

FOR SALE—Or trade for city property, hand-some 7 room cottage and 2 acres. Cheyenne Valley. 109 E. Kiowa.

FOR SALE—Full blooded female coach dog, 1 1/2 years old. Apply at 115 S. Tejon st.

FOR SALE—Office desk. Call 18 W. Bijou st.

FOR SALE—Cheap, upright piano, will take part in stock. Address 11 S. Gazette.

FOR SALE—Only 400 of the 1000 electric lamps left. See a piece. The Antlers.

FOR SALE—Cheap, buggy horse, can be seen at W. H. Roby's feed store, in rear.

FOR SALE—Central location, double house for investment, 3 and 5 rooms, bath, water in each side. Rented for \$30.50 per month. Price, \$500. Address C. C. C., this office.

FOR SALE—A couple mules in good condition. good workers. Address 512 E. Kiowa.

FOR SALE—Remington typewriter in good condition. R. W. Hemenway, 104 East Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—One ladies Fowler bicycle; nearly new. Inquire at 23 S. Nevada.

FOR SALE—\$100 man's bicycle, 22 lbs., in good condition, or will trade for mining stock. Address Bicycle, Gazette.

FOR SALE—Canopy top phaeton and four-seated English cart. Midway stables.

FOR SALE—The best bargain in the city for a house and lot, for a few days only. See W. D. Shemwell, room 2, Midland block.

FOR SALE—A Shetland pony. Inquire at H. T. O'Brien's harness shop, 13 South Tejon st.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred barred Plymouth Rock and Black Langshan cockerels. Inquire at 218 S. Tejon st.

FOR SALE—The best short order restaurant in town. See W. D. Shemwell, room 2, Midland block.

FOR SALE—Chickens, ducks, young turkeys, at 19 W. Moreno ave.

FOR SALE—House and lot, 414 E. Cache la Poudre st. Apply to E. H. Farrington, Trinidad, Colo.

FOR SALE—Lady's Columbia, new cheap. Address 3 E. H., this office.

FOR SALE—A light road wagon, nearly new, at J. D. O'Haire's, 105 E. Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—Lease and bond, 17 months to term. Full patented claim, centrally located. Low rent. Best prospect in Cripple Creek district. Address Miner, Box 369, Cripple Creek.

FOR SALE—School lot number 14, Section 36 on Grimes Mountain, Cripple Creek district. Edward Ferris, 104 Pike's Peak ave.

FOR SALE—A bargain, on account of departure, fine corner lot 30x100, water and sewer improvements, suitable for building small cottage on, which would rent well and readily, and return good interest on the investment. Apply 26 West Cripple Creek.

FOR SALE—But few bargains left in New York property. Lots at \$100, \$1000, \$1005, \$1100, \$250, \$1000. Nice dwelling, all improvements, \$1500. Will exchange for Colorado Springs property. A. M. McMillan, 30 E. Kiowa.

FOR SALE—Two sewed Kensington pole and shafts in excellent order, at Walker's barn.

FOR SALE—A seat on the Consolidated Exchange; owner leaving town. Address H. E., Gazette.

MISCELLANEOUS.

UGH BROS., house and sign painters. Address 515 W. Huerfano st.

LUKE A fine Bohemian date for sale. Call at P. Paso County bank. E. C. Roelle.

ASIAN lady of education and refinement desires position as governess. English, German, acquired abroad. Highest references. Address Miss Gaffney, 1620 E. 13th ave., Denver, Colo.

A LIMITED number of horses and cattle taken to pasture one mile north of town. Good grass, good water, good shelter. Horses called for and delivered. Apply at Windmill Ranch, or address P. O. Box 300.

MISS WALDRON has rooms at 213 N. Weber who she will continue dressmaking, also go out by the day. Satisfaction guaranteed.

I HAVE your orders for home-made Ralston bread, doughnuts, cookies, pies, etc., at 107 Cheyenne ave.

A LADY's gold watch to exchange for stocks. Address Box 670, City.

FOR all kinds of fine watch and clock work, call on D. Whitelock at 109 E. Kiowa st.

BI-CYCLE Knives for sale at Wilbur's and B. Wall's.

TO TRADE.

TO EXCHANGE—Good mining stock and other property for lease and furniture of large house, close in. Room 5, 117 Pike's Peak.

TO TRADE—For mining stock 1 1/2 acre of good property in Manitou with a five room house and large cellar, also one 3/4 Studebaker wagon almost new and 3 good work horses. Address box 213, Manitou.

TO TRADE—For cheap mining stocks, extension lot on Cripple Creek. Call at 419 E. Dale.

TO TRADE—A seat on Consolidated Exchange. Address Box 1, Colorado Springs, Colo.

TO TRADE—35 feet front, clear, 3 rooms, car lot, will trade for city property and some. Address O. E. C., this office.

TO RENT.

TO RENT—Three large unfurnished rooms at 614 N. Corona.

TO RENT—A new 7 room house handy to business. Enquire W. W. Atkinson, No. 4, E. Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—Large, pleasant south room, with outside entrance. Low rate for winter. 115 E. Boulder. Second door from Tejon st. Specially desirable for gentlemen.

TO RENT—Furnished room for housekeeping or suitable for two gentlemen, cheap. Apply 104 S. Tejon st.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping. 619 N. Webster.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 320 E. Kiowa st.

TO RENT—Nicely furnished rooms at 709 S. Tejon st.

TO RENT—South room furnished, 325 North Weber.

TO RENT—One or two front rooms in north end of city suitable for college students. Terms reasonable. Address J. H., Gazette.

TO RENT—A first class boarding house doing a splendid business. Rooms now all filled. Excellent location. Address Boarding House, Gazette office.

TO RENT—Partly furnished, a well built country house at low rental. Herbert Skinner, 109 E. Kiowa.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms for lodging or housekeeping. 411 E. Bijou.

TO RENT—Newly furnished rooms, all conveniences. 317 St. Vrain.

TO RENT—Paint rooms over Ruckeye stables.

TO RENT—Pleasant front room. Apply 415 E. Bijou.

TO RENT—Adjoining the city on the north, 1000 acres, good house eight rooms, water, shade, etc. Chas. L. Tutt, 14 Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—Pianos, organs and sewing machines, at Allen's Music store on Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—Pianos, organs and sewing machines. Hertz & Williams, 21 N. Tejon st.

TO RENT—Three downstairs furnished rooms for housekeeping, or furnished house. 522 E. Kiowa.

TO RENT—Barn, 410 E. Huerfano.

TO RENT—A pleasant front room. 432 North Nevada.

TO RENT—In private family where there are no invalids, pleasant front room with board. 724 N. Nevada.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms with steam heat and electric light. The Woodside Cottage.

TO RENT—Unfurnished modern six room house, close in. Paul Hutchingson, 109 E. Kiowa.

TO RENT—Stable for horses and vehicle in rear of 720 N. Tejon st. Apply on premises.

TO RENT—Furnished front room for gentleman. Call from 12 to 3. 313 E. Bijou.

TO RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms, south front, privilege of bath. 525 East Boulder.

TO RENT—Furnished front, bed room in private family. 612 N. Tejon st.

TO RENT—Cheap, 10 room furnished house, modern improvements. Inquire D. C. Dudley, Institute.

TO RENT—A furnished room at 128 N. Weber.

TO RENT—Rooms and board, table board. If desired, new house, modern conveniences. Terms reasonable. 419 E. Platte ave.

BOARD AND ROOMS.

TO RENT—Rooms, single or en suite, with board. Miss Grimes, 1 N. Cascade ave. opp. The Antlers.

TO RENT—Four bright sunny rooms, with board. Special terms for winter. Also table boarders. 104 F. Boulder, cor. Tejon.

TO RENT—Newly furnished rooms with board. Table boarders desired. 311 North Cascade avenue. Mrs. Zetely.

TO RENT—Two nice rooms furnished for housekeeping. 125 S. Nevada.

TO RENT—Rooms with first class board. Light and fire furnished. 109 S. Nevada.

TO RENT—Durable rooms with board at Miss Hamilton's. 25 E. Dale st.

TO RENT—With board, one large sunny room at Mrs. Hamilton's. One door west of Cascade ave. Steam heat, electric light. 18 West Kiowa st.

TO RENT—Rooms with board at the Woodside. 3 N. Weber. Mrs. M. W. Norton.

TO LOAN.

TO LOAN—At low rate, \$2500, 3 to 5 years or improved realty in this city. C. W. Haines, 61 S. Bank Block.

MONEY TO LOAN—Any amount, at low rate in sums to suit borrowers on 12% rate, approved mining stocks or any good security. Lindsay and Filpatrick, brokers, 19 and 20 Bank block.

MONEY TO LOAN—In sums to suit borrowers on approved mining stocks or good security. Chas. H. Rogers, broker, 27 Midland block.

TO LOAN—Money to loan in any amount on good Colorado Springs real estate at lowest rates. Crescent Agency, No. 5 Pike's Peak ave.

TO LOAN—Money to loan on good city real estate, or other marketable securities, in sums to suit, at lowest rates. First mortgages for sale. W. H. McIntyre, Hagerman Block.

FOUND.

FOUND—A lady's fur muff. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this ad. at this office.

FOUND—A female cocker spaniel at 315 N. Weber.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers hereto under the firm name of Arkell, MacMillan & Stewart, is this day by mutual consent dissolved.

The business of said firm will be carried on by its successors, Edwin Arkell & Co., at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

EDWIN ARKELL,
JOHN E. MACMILLAN,
JAMES T. STEWART.

Aspen, Colo., Dec. 31, 1895.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of Greenfield & Jacob is this day dissolved, and the undersigned desires to announce that he is in no way responsible for any business transaction of W. H. Jacob. G. P. GREENFIELD, Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan. 8, 1896.

GOING EAST OVER SANTA FE ROUTE.

Fire vestibule train. Running time to Chicago has been shortened. Two p. m. trains. Rates low as any. Sleeper reservations to your destination can be secured at city ticket office.

1879 Edward Ferris 104 PIKE'S PEAK AVE. 1895

I offer the Following Bargains in Real Estate:

1. I offer the following bargain: A beautiful property on San Rafael street, fronting College reservation. House in first class condition, has seven rooms and bath room, 7 aund., with stationary tubs, hot and cold water, furnace, electric lights and all modern conveniences, lovely lawn, fruit trees and shrubbery, good barn with water, altogether one of the most desirable residence properties in the city. Will be sold very cheap if within the next few weeks.

2. Property in first rate location, South Weber street, good stone house with seven rooms, lot fifty by one hundred and ninety. A bargain on easy terms.

3. New ten-room house East Monument street, all modern conveniences. For sale at less than cost.

4. Several vacant lots on North Weber street, good location; moderate price.

5. Fine vacant property in D. Russ Woods addition, north end.

6. Seven-room house E. Bijou street, new, with all modern conveniences. Well rented.

7. Several good properties in Colorado City. Will exchange for mining stocks.

8. Nice improved property in West Colorado Springs.

9. Good house and lot for rent or sale in Bonita, Cheyenne road.

10. Nice five-room house on Weber street, good cellar, gas, furnace, hot and cold water, range, good barn, lot twenty-five by one hundred and ninety. Five minutes walk from First National bank. I call special attention to a most desirable business property directly in the business center now paying 10 per cent rental on the price asked. Always occupied and will be worth much more money.

11. Best corner on Cascade avenue, fronting the mountains. A beautiful location for a hotel or apartment house. Lot 125 by 150 feet, small house.

12. Corner lot South Weber street, lot 50 by 100. Price \$1,200; house has five rooms.

13. Mines and mining stocks. Am member of Board of Trade and Mining Exchange. Make a specialty of Cripple Creek stocks. If you want to buy or sell I solicit your orders. I have purchased for my clients very many thousands of shares and have always made a good and in most cases an enormous profit. If you want your business properly and carefully attended to come to No. 104 Pike's Peak avenue, back room. I have various other properties for sale in Colorado Springs and Manitou. The properties offered above will be worth much more than I now ask for them and they are well worthy the attention of investors.

EDWARD FERRIS.

OTARK H. SMITH.

1879 EDWARD FERRIS, 104 P. P. AV 1895

ROCKERS...

Not one or two styles, but the whole line that we carry at greatly

REDUCED PRICES

For the next 10 days.

JOHN T. CLOUGH.

VERNER Z. REED & CO.

(Successors to Reed Bros.)

REAL ESTATE, MINES & LOANS.

Our record for 1895 is 25 mines sold, two successful mining companies organized, and almost \$1,000,000.00 in actual cash business transacted. The best part of the record is that all of our clients have made money.

We thoroughly know the Cripple Creek Mining district, have a wide acquaintance with mine owners, have reliable connections in the East and in Europe, and our facilities for placing mining investments or selling mines is unsurpassed in Colorado.

The real estate department of our business will be conducted as usual and we shall continue to loan money on real estate. There has never been a foreclosure on a loan made by us.

Cable address: "Reed."

VERNER Z. REED & CO.,

25 South Tejon St. Telephone 207.

D. M. Holden, Pres.; N. O. Johnson, Vice Pres.; David Heron, Cashier.

Exchange National Bank

Capital - \$100,000
Surplus - 20,000

JACKSON DAY IN NEW YORK.

Celebration of the Anniversary of
the Battle of New Orleans.

PARTISANS AND PATRIOTS.

Power of patriotism illustrated by Un-
animous support of Cleveland—At-
tributed by Love of Country,
Not Love of War.

New York, Jan. 8.—Jackson day, the
81st anniversary of the battle of New Or-
leans, was celebrated by the Business
Men's Democratic association to-night at
the Savoy hotel. Theodore Myers pre-
sided and at his right sat Secretary of the
Navy Herbert, ex-Governor Flower, ex-
Governor T. M. Waller of Connecticut,
Congressman Amos J. Cummings and
Judge P. H. DeLoe. At the chairman's
left were Isadore Raynes, Comptroller
Fitch, Postmaster Dayton, J. E. Simmons,
Evan Thomas and C. C. Baldwin.

Chairman Myers arose and congrat-
ulated those present upon the proof af-
forded by their members who he said
were the old guard of Democratic prin-
ciples that had neither died nor sur-
rendered.

Mr. Myers then introduced the Hon.
Henry R. Herbert, who spoke on "Sound
Money, Necessary to Commercial Pros-
perity."

The Hon. Isadore Raynes was next in-
troduced by the chairman in response to
the toast, "The People's Role in Politics."

When the applause following the speech
of Mr. Raynes had subsided, Chairman
Myers arose and said he had a communi-
cation to read. It proved to be a tele-
gram from the President and cabinet un-
bounded applause. It was addressed to
the chairman of the committee and read:
"In spirit I join your guests to-night in
their applause of every patriotic senti-
ment which the occasion inspires and I
rejoice with them in their manifestations
of that love for our national life and
honor which characterized the great
American whose deeds and valor you
commemorate."

"GROVER CLEVELAND,"
Chairman Myers next introduced ex-
Governor Flower, who responded to the
toast, "The State of New York."

Incidentally he referred to President
Cleveland on the Venezuelan question,
"I don't believe that one inch they do
not at present possess on this continent
should be given to a foreign monarchy.
If a war comes and God grant that it
may not, you will salute Grover Clevel-
and as you to salute Andrew Jack-
son. I want you to study the Monroe
doctrine. It does not mean war unless
England wants it. Let us stand for the
Monroe doctrine, which is the funda-
mental principle of our government."

Ex-Governor Waller was the next
speaker and responded to the toast,
"Patriotism and Partisanship."

He said: "I have listened and applauded
with vigor the patriotic utterances of
the speakers before me for I rejoice in
the national feeling that has been set on
fire in the last 20 days. Our ten million
of sovereigns and rulers, partisans and
politicians, are to-night without excep-
tion, all patriots and their patriotism
is not feigned; it is love of country and
not love of war. The world never saw a
better illustration of the power of patri-
otism and partisanship, than when
acting together our political oppo-
nents presented in Congress the
unanimous support of our great
party leader, when he raised the Ameri-
can standard in front of old England and
advanced to the uttermost limit the doc-
trine of Monroe."

Amos J. Cummings responded to the
toast, "The Press," and Comptroller
Fitch spoke on "The City of New York."

THE OLD STORY.

Hoke Smith Says Deficiency Is Due to
Republicans.

Philadelphia, Jan. 8.—For the sixteenth
year the Young Men's Democratic asso-
ciation of Philadelphia to-night observed
the anniversary of the victory of Andrew
Jackson over the British at New Orleans,
by a dinner. About 200 members of the
association and present. The principal
guests of the evening were Vice President
Svenson, Secretary of the Interior Hoke
Smith, D. N. Morgan, treasurer of the
United States, United States Senator
Charles J. Faulkner of West Virginia
and John L. Seymour, commissioner of
patents. Attorney General Harmon was
expected to be present to respond to the
toast, "The President of the United
States," but he was detained in Wash-
ington by government business before the
Supreme Court. Secretary Smith spoke
to the toast, "The Public Credit." Mr.
Smith's speech was in advocacy of a
gold standard as opposed to free silver.

He said the Republicans left the treas-
ury practically empty, with the excep-
tion of the gold reserve when turned over
to the Democrats on March 4, 1861. He
stated that the financial disturbances be-
gan before the revenues had ceased to be
sufficient to meet the expenses of the
government, and also that the first de-
ficiency was before the passage of new
tariff legislation, there having been a de-
ficiency in round numbers of sixty mil-
lion dollars during the year of the Mc-
Kinley bill. He also showed that since
the passage of the Sherman purchasing
act gold to the amount of \$35,000,000 had
been withdrawn from the treasury.

Concluding his remarks the Secretary
said:

"No one questions the ability of the
government to meet its current expenses.
It is the doubt as to the purpose of the
government to maintain gold as a stand-
ard which has created the distrust, which
has shaken confidence, which has check-
ed business and lessened the revenue. Re-
move this doubt and the increase of the
general prosperity will readily take care
of the question of the revenues."

Andrew Jackson was distinguished
for his courage and patriotism. Let Dem-
ocrats meet the issue before the country
with the same spirit and Republican ma-
jorities will fade before them."

MAY BOOM MORTON.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—The Hamilton club, a
prominent Republican social organization
of this city, which brought Speaker Reed
here a little over a year ago, has invited
Governor Morton, the latest avowed can-
didate for the Presidential nomination,
to be his guest of honor and principal
speaker at the annual banquet Jan. 31, to

be held at the Auditorium. This action
is taken to mean among Republican party
managers that Governor Morton is to be
given a boom by wealthy business men.
Ex-Governor Foraker has accepted an
invitation to speak at the banquet.

Larceny of Bullion.

Denver, Jan. 8.—Henry E. Wiederrecht,
catchman at 174 Larimer street, was ar-
rested to-day by Constable Duggan upon
a charge of grand larceny of bullion from
the Omaha and Grant smelter. The
watchman had a bar of bullion in his pos-
session when arrested which weighed 135
pounds, the value being mostly in lead.
The smelting works have been missing
considerable bullion of late and it is
hoped to develop from this arrest the ex-
tent of the robberies as well as to locate
the thieves.

PERPETUAL PEACE.

Proposition to Establish a Permanent
Court of Arbitration.

London, Jan. 8.—With reference to the
meeting held to consider what further
steps shall be taken concerning the sug-
gestion that differences between the
United States and Great Britain be set-
tled by a commission composed of an
equal number of judges of her majesty's
High Court of Justice and of the United
States Supreme Court. The Daily Chroni-
cle to-morrow will say:

"We are delighted that a practical
movement has been begun. It will in-
stantly create a response in the United
States and thus the original warlike sit-
uation may prove a preliminary to a
great and noble peace, honorable to the
nations concerned, and a lesson to the
world. Half of the mischief which has
desolated mankind has been due to in-
ability to put ourselves in the point of
view of our fabled enemy. To learn
what he thinks is our first duty and our
most vital interest. Let us realize the
American feeling as Americans should
and will realize ours. Let us provide a
method for putting each view before wise
and learned men."

That the present friction can only be
ended by impartial arbitration is already
certain. Lord Salisbury could not possi-
bly face Parliament with the statement
that he had refused to meet the United
States on this ground. The first move-
ment in this particular issue between the
two countries should perhaps come from
our government as soon as Secretary
Olney's dispatch was handed to Lord Sal-
isbury. Our contention is that when Lord
Salisbury shall have replied it will be for
the English people to speak touching the
necessity for what Kant called perpetual
peace. This would involve the establish-
ment of a permanent court of arbitration
between the two countries to discuss, ad-
vise upon and adjudicate all disputes that
may arise. That court we are able to say
the American government desires.

WILL MAINTAIN RIGHTS.

It is stated that Salisbury has so notified
the German government.

London, Jan. 8.—The Central news is
authority for the statement that Lord
Salisbury has notified the German gov-
ernment that Great Britain will maintain
the rights in the Transvaal under the
convention of 1884 at all costs. The gen-
erally shown by President Kruger is
admitted everywhere. At the clubs here
it is a matter of speculation as to what
terms will be made by Sir Hercules Rob-
ertson, governor of the Cape Colony.

The consensus of opinion is that Presi-
dent Kruger will expel the leading agi-
tators in the Rand of whose participation
in the conspiracy against the Transvaal
government he possesses proof, and that
the British government will punish the
other participants. It is also believed
that the British South Africa company
will be obliged to pay a heavy indemnity
and will lose its administrative rights in
the adjoining territory. Everything is
quiet about the government offices this
evening. Lord Salisbury is giving a
country ball at Hatfield House, his seat
in Hertfordshire.

GERMANY'S ATTITUDE.

Preparations to Fully Protect All Her
Interests.

New York, Jan. 8.—A Herald Berlin
special cable dispatch says:

The Emperor yesterday summoned to
Posdam the Chancellor, Admiral Krueger,
commander-in-chief of the navy, and Ad-
miral Von Holtman, chief of the admiralty,
to concert military measures to be
taken in the event of England's landing
troops to occupy the Transvaal.

The Emperor and the Czar of Russia
yesterday exchanged dispatches regard-
ing the Kaiser's telegram to President
Krueger and the resulting conflict with
England, and Russia's co-operation with
Germany is already assured. France will
regulate her policy by that of Russia.

The Transvaal representatives here are
attempting to obtain French support.

Count Von Hatzfeldt has received in-
structions to intimate to Lord Salisbury
that Germany will not permit the slight-
est lesion of the interests of persons of
German nationality.

The Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha de-
plores Dr. Jameson's crime and the Got-
ter Zeitung warmly supports the idea of
imperial intervention by Germany.

Ordered to Delton Bay.

London, Jan. 8.—It is stated this after-
noon that Admiral Rawson, commanding
the British Cape and West Africa squad-
ron, who was ordered to proceed with his
flagship the St. George, to Delton Bay, is
already on his way to that place, where
several warships will assemble. The Ad-
miralty this afternoon issued the names
of the new commanders of the vessels
composing the flying squadron and the
men who are detailed for service on those
ships.

Train Wrecker Fights.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 8.—Four
months ago a train was wrecked and
robbed in this place and W. R. Hogan, for-
merly of this State, was alleged to be one
of the robbers, and a reward was offered
for his arrest. He returned to Lincoln
county this State, recently, and this
morning Charles Berger and Harry
Blumfeld decided to arrest him.

They found Hogan in the house of a
friend. He refused to surrender, and be-
fore being taken to the county house, he
also opened fire and Hogan was shot
through and through, dying instantly.
Berger was shot in the arm and head by
Hogan, but not fatally.

Fire on Broadway.

New York, Jan. 8.—The five-story build-
ing at 596 Broadway was completely
wrecked by fire to-night and the three
firms who occupy it jointly lost every
item of their stock.

The losers are the United Shirt and
Collar company, Blumenthal & Steine,

flower and feather merchants, and M.
Wasserman, flowers. Their joint loss
and the damage done to the building will
probably amount to \$150,000.

ENGLISH FEELING.

Professor Shaw of Oxford Gives His New
Interpretation.

Philadelphia, Jan. 8.—Prof. W. Hudson
Shaw of Oxford university, in speaking
to-day of the Venezuelan controversy be-
tween England and the United States,
expressed some opinions of the feeling
over the question in the country that
prevails here of the position of Great Brit-
ain: "I am only eight days from Eng-
land and was there when the war scare
over the Venezuelan affair first started,"
he said, "being an university extension
lecturer and constantly going from city
to city and town to town. I had unusual
opportunities of meeting all classes of
the people of England in many sections
of the country. I am sure I know the
sentiment of the people in the matter."

"President Cleveland's message came
to the English people like a thunderbolt
out of a clear sky. The feeling there
was one of unutterable astonishment that
any trouble could occur between England
and the United States. This feeling pre-
valled all classes. The feeling of the
English people for their American coun-
try is year by year becoming more sym-
pathetic and among educated people in
England the thought of a conflict with the
United States seems impossible."

"There is no single Englishman that
does not accept the Monroe doctrine as
laid down by President Monroe and what
might be called the extension to it which
holds that no European power should
encroach an inch on this continent. This
is, of course, what Englishmen in gen-
eral think. It is not what the politicians
say. The Venezuelan affair is entirely a
government matter. The universal opin-
ion at first was that President Cleveland's
message was sent out for political pur-
poses. Now we believe that British gov-
ernment was wrong and drew down
President Cleveland's anger justly. We
accept the justice of Mr. Cleveland's
claim."

"Lord Salisbury's action in refusing ar-
bitration is regarded as a political blun-
der, and I may say crime, by many right
thinking Englishmen. I believe a great
deal of good will come out of this trouble.
I think it will be cause of the formation
of a permanent arbitration court that
can settle all such disputes between na-
tions. Let England and America keep
peace for thirty years longer and they
can dominate the whole civilized world."

Not a Fair Division.

"Mean man," said the man in the
big ulster, with a nod in the direction
of an old fellow with a fur cap.

"I don't know him," replied the man
with plush ear covers.

"Lives next to me," explained the
man in the big ulster. "He's a confi-
dence man."

"Really?"

"Sure thing. Why, since I have been
given a little insight into his character
I always look up the silver when I see
him come home from work."

"Is he really as bad as that?"

"Worse."

"How did you find him out?"

"Well, he made a proposition that we
should make a little pool on the walk
cleaning problem. He was to keep the
walks in front of his houses cleaned
half the time and I to keep them
cleaned the other half."

"That certainly seems fair."

"That's what I thought; so we closed
the deal. But when it came to arrang-
ing the periods during which each
should do the work, he claimed to be
entitled to first choice and I gave it to
him."

"Well?"

"Well, he announced that he would
side late to keep them clean during the
summer half of each year." Chicago
Post.

Precisely Stipulated.

A citizen with a swollen jaw was
hastening along one of the principal
streets of the city when a sign in front
of a tall building caught his attention.
It was as follows: "Painless Extraction
of Teeth Free."

He stopped long enough to note the
number of the floor on which the busi-
ness indicated by the sign was carried
on and then hurried inside and made
his way to the dental parlors.

"Is this the place where you pull teeth
without pain free?"

"Yes, sir," said one of the painless
extractors on duty.

"Well, I've got a grinder that's been
giving me a good deal of trouble. I wish
you'd yank it out."

The sufferer took his place in the
chair and opened his mouth. The opera-
tor, after applying to the swollen gum
a pungent lotion of some sort, speedily
relieved him of the offending molar.

"Thanks," said the caller, climbing
down and picking up his hat.

"That will be half a crown," remark-
ed the dentist.

"Half a crown?" echoed the other. "I
thought it was free. That's what you
told me a minute ago, and it's what you
say on your sign."

"Just so. Did it hurt you any?"

"Yes, it hurt a little."

"That's right. We do our painless
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crown, please." Tit-Bits.

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expectedly."

"Yes. Henpeck gave her the wrong
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"Was it a mistake?" Life.

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K. OF P. OFFICERS INSTALLED.

An Attractive Public Ceremony Last Evening.

HERMOINE TEMPLE OFFICERS

The Ceremonies were followed by Luncheon and Dancing—List of the New Officers—Other Local News Events.

Last evening occurred the installation ceremonies of Myrtle Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and of Hermoine Temple, Rathbone Sisters. It was made an occasion of great interest for the Pythians and was conducted most successfully. The ceremony was held in the big ball room of the Whitehall dancing academy, and it was none too large for the crowd.

The room had been converted into a temporary lodge room and the ceremony was conducted by Mr. J. K. Miller, who had been deputized by the grand chancellor as installed. The ceremony is very beautiful and instructive and the officers wore their gorgeous robes of office. The officers installed are as follows:

- L. S. Cohen, chancellor commander
- L. M. Barney, V. C.
- J. H. Kreiling, master at arms
- W. C. Blenheim, master at arms
- H. S. Foley, master of finance.
- L. M. Purdy, L. of R. and S.

Immediately after the lodge officers were installed the Rathbone Sisters took charge. This is the branch of the order to which the women are admitted, or rather, the women's auxiliary. It is named after Justus Rathbone, who founded the order of Knights of Pythias. Their installing ceremony is not as elaborate as that of the Knights, but is very pretty and effective. A squad of the uniform rank acted as a guard of honor in conducting the officers to the platform. The ceremony closed with a very pretty tableau. The installing officer was Mrs. Leonora Epperson of Colorado City, who is the grand chief officer of the State, and she conducted her part most pleasantly. The officers installed are as follows:

- Martie Mayhew, most excellent chief
- Mary Haggerty, excellent senior
- Adi Lowry, excellent junior
- Margaret Kreiling, manager
- Ema Sanders, mistress of the records and correspondence.
- Anna Tuttle, mistress of the finances
- Sadie Stanton, protector of the temple
- Elvira James, guard of the outer Elvira James, guard of the outer temple.

Frances Pendleton, past chief of temple. After the ceremony the guests assembled in the lodge room adjoining where they were served with a nice luncheon. The ball room was cleared and excellent music was furnished for those who cared to dance. The amusement was kept up until a late hour.

Board Election.

Last evening the Pike's Peak Roadsters held their annual meeting and selected officers for the year as follows: President, Lou Benton; vice president, John Duncan; secretary, L. H. McDill; treasurer, L. A. Pease; captain, Sam Duncan; first lieutenant, Tom Vaux; second lieutenant, J. P. Davis.

Quite a number of matters of interest to the club and cycling generally were discussed. A committee was appointed to prepare a plan for a big bicycle show in the near future. It is probable that quite a number of the wheelmen will go to the ice palace on bicycle day, which is the last of the month.

The new captain announced a run to Monument Park next Sunday, leaving the club house at 1:30.

A Leap Year Party.

A Leap Year party will be held to-night by the Good Templars at their hall, on South Nevada avenue. All are invited to attend. The following programme will be given:

- Opening Ode.....By the Lodge
- Recitation.....Mrs. Morgan
- Music "Moonlight on the Lake".....
- Good Templar Quartet.

- Recitation.....Miss Irene Price
- Vocal Duet.....Miss Martin, Mr. Foster
- Recitation.....Miss Maud Nye
- Piano Solo.....Miss Lois Parry
- Essay—"Good Templary a Potential Factor in the Temperance Reform".....T. R. Jones
- Music.....Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Neaderhouser
- Medley.....Good Templars Quartet
- Recitation.....Miss Scott

Mother's Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock in their room. It will be a mother's meeting with the following programme:

- Song—"March of Reformers".....
- Prayer.....
- Song.....Miss Tuck and Mrs. Crafts
- Scripture reading by Rev. Mrs. Crane
- Song—"Crossing the Bar".....
- "The Great Mother and Lesson We May Learn from Her Life," character sketch read by Mrs. Knox
- Temperance Devotionary.....

Corinne Opera Company.

It is only of late that Corinne has attracted the attention of noted musical critics regarding her remarkable mandolin playing. Being an accomplished musician, she has made this beautiful instrument a feature of her numerous musical studies, and, as a result, she is claimed to stand alone as the finest lady mandolin soloist in the world. Corinne is one of the few artists who can charm an audience without apparent effort. She seems to inspire her associates in the merry-making by the spirit of her own personality and magnetism. She is assisted by the full strength of the Kimball Opera company, which numbers 60 people, and embraces the names of many of the foremost vocalists and operatic artists. The production will be seen at the opera house next Monday evening with all the gorgeous scenery, beautiful costumes, electrical and calcium effects, cast, chorus, and augmented orchestra exactly as presented during the New York, Boston and Chicago engagements.

Henry E. Dixey.

Henry E. Dixey, supported by a merry company of players, will appear at the opera house Saturday night in "The Lottery of Love," an adaptation from the French by Augustin Daly. Theater-goers

recall this comedian during his presentation throughout the country of the burlesque "Adonis" and "The Seven Ages." Dixey aims to become a star in legitimate school of comedy, and his efforts in this line will arouse sufficient interest in the amusement-loving public. The company includes George Osbourne, Miss Margaret Craven, Miss Pauline French and several other footlight favorites.

The Montague League.

An organization has been formed in connection with the First Baptist Church of this city which is intended to include every male member of the church and congregation. The organization is very simple, of a purely social nature, and its object, the more intimate acquaintance and closer fellowship of the business men of the church and congregation with a view to a deeper interest in the work of the church. The meetings, the principal features of which will be a collation and short addresses by members and guests of the society, will be held monthly. Out of respect to the memory of Dr. Montague, the society has adopted as its name "The Montague League."

A Verdict.

Tickets for Chapin at the Auditorium to-night only 35 cents. The verdict of the delighted audience which filled the U. P. church last evening was that Benjamin Chapin displayed the finished art of a great actor in his impersonation of the principal characters in that most famous of Shakespeare's plays "The Merchant of Venice." An ordinary elocutionist or impersonator would have failed to express all these inimitable nuances and subtleties, and expressions of which we feel are in Shakespeare's masterpieces of characterization, but which we seldom see interpreted either on the stage or on the platform, as they were brought out by Mr. Chapin last evening—(Daily Herald), Bellefontaine, O. Mr. Chapin will be heard at the High school auditorium this evening.

Death of Mrs. B. B. Grover.

Mrs. Alice Grover, wife of Dr. B. B. Grover, city physician, died at 6 o'clock yesterday morning of consumption, aged 35 years. The deceased was born at Gainsville, N. Y., in 1820, and was the daughter of Nelson Evans of that place. She was married to Dr. Grover 18 years ago. They located in Des Moines, Ia., where they lived until 1892. That year Mrs. Grover was attacked with the disease which ended her life and the family came here for her recovery. Besides the husband a daughter, aged about 16 years, survives her. The family have the sympathy of many friends in their loss. The funeral service will be held from the family residence, 714 West Pike's Peak avenue, on Friday at 11 a. m. Friends of the family are invited.

MOTHERS OF GREAT MEN.

Schumann's mother was gifted in music. Von Ranke's mother was literary and the author of several essays and other works.

The character of Washington's mother is too well known to need more than an allusion.

One of the few redeeming traits in the character of Henry VIII was his respect for his mother.

The mother of the famous Constable Bourbon learned to fence in order to assist in the military training of her son.

Vandyke's mother was quite an artist, with a very correct appreciation of excellence in drawing and painting.

The mother of Peter the Great was a woman of intrepid courage and great personal strength, both of body and mind.

Daniel Webster once said, "The man who would be disrespectful to his mother would spit on her grave when she is dead."

Tasso's mother was "peculiar." It is belated by some writers that the madness with which he was afflicted was inherited.

Rubens' mother was a plain, unassuming housekeeper, who neither knew anything of nor cared anything for art or music.

The mother of Vauban, the French military engineer, was very skillful in mathematics and gave her son a taste for the same line of studies.

Mrs. Hemans considered her mother as one of the most remarkable women who ever lived, and in several places in her poems and letters alludes to her.

John Chrysostom often spoke of the tenderness of his mother, and quite as often of her beauty. He believed that the eloquence which gave him so wide a reputation was inherited from her. St. Louis Globe-Democrat

JEWELRY CONCEITS.

A cut glass inkstand, with silver mounts, much favored this season, is again in vogue.

Rings for men continue to be richly carved and chased, Indian style, with stones imbedded.

Stands for playing cards consist of a pierced workcase of silver, mounted on end in an oblong silver tray.

The silver skirt grip, a practical device for securing the back of the skirt to the belt, recommends itself to tidy women.

Zone shaped belt clasps, incrustated with small stones and receiving additional enrichment from colored enamels, lend distinction to the simplest evening gown.

The present mania for Louis XV styles has added to the sumptuousness of the modern woman's jewelry cases, for many of the brooches, coronets and watches are copies of the old court jewelry. Jewelers' Circular.

Fast, but Not Least.

Teacher Willie, what are the different kinds of time in us?

Willie: Four kinds—sun time, standard time, fly time and the monkey and parrot time. Cincinnati Enquirer.

Courtships.

He used to say, "Will you be mine?" No more the style endures.

Of woman "new," but still distinct. He asks, "Can I be yours?"—Washington Star.

A Fair Exchange.

"Here, waiter, take away these oysters. They are bad."

"I know it, sir, but we have given you two more oysters than you called for to make up for it." Tit-Bits



Many merchants are well aware that their customers are their best friends and take pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable. As an instance we mention Perry & Cameron, prominent druggists of Flushing, Mich. They say: "We have no hesitation in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to our customers, as it is the best cough medicine we have ever sold, and always gives satisfaction." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle.

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The Coburn library is now open to the public as a circulating library, and those wishing to subscribe can do so by applying to the librarian any day between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m., or on Saturdays until 9 p. m.

Paul Verlaine, the well-known French poet, died in Paris yesterday afternoon. He was 51 years old.

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" " " \$2.50 to.....\$1.50

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U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	150,333.00	Surplus and undivided profits	180,333.00
Gov. & State Securities and Gov. Bonds	25,000.00	Reserve fund	20,000.00
U. S. National Bank and Gov. Bonds	13,000.00	Deposits	1,658,466.00
U. S. National Bank and Gov. Bonds	2,125.00		
U. S. National Bank and Gov. Bonds	161,055.45		
U. S. National Bank and Gov. Bonds	698,586.71		
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Total	\$1,959,308.20	Total	\$1,959,308.20

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Reported by..... S. F. HAZLEHURST

First Call.

Colorado Springs, Jan 8.—The market to-day was quiet with a little business about it which rather increased as the call went on, and there was merely a passing wave now and then to show that any business was to be transacted. There was no disposition to operate in the regular list, and again nearly all attention was given to the miscellaneous stocks which were dealt with quite vigorously and presented many tempting opportunities for deals, as prices were well established and there were plenty of takers for all the offerings which were made. Quotations on the regular list were rather weak and the stagnation had as usual a depressing effect upon them.

Alamo was fairly active at 4 1/2 and 4 Anaconda had a small sale at 70 1/2. Consolidated was active and in good shape, selling at 21 1/2, 21 3/4 and 22 C. and M. was a light trader at 8 1/2. Gold Standard had a good run of sales at 11 1/4 and 11 1/2. Garfield Grouse did some active trading between 8 and 8 1/2. Mollie Gibson had one sale at 4 1/2. Pappoose bobbed up actively, selling from 5 1/2 to 6 1/2. Union was a large trader starting off with a sale at 4 1/2 and selling down to 4 1/4. Golden Link and Henietta were very active dealers while Pappoose was bought up readily by those who had heard the news of a strike on the claims.

Second Call.

It was another dull call with just enough of motion in it to establish quotations and even in this particular the general disposition seemed to be to let the matter alone and depend on somebody to drag out a figure. With a lack of orders prices naturally declined somewhat and the only trading done was of a very perfunctory character with the miscellaneous stocks well in the lead for a business and for any movements of importance. Consolidated sold at 22 C. and M. sold steadily at 8 1/2. Copper Mtn was active selling at 2 1/2 and 2 3/4. Colfax brought 5 1/2 and Dantz 11 1/2. Gold Standard had good sales at 11 Golden Link was very active at 4 1/2 and 4 3/4. Ironclad brought 11 1/2. Mutual was dull at 8 1/2 and 8 3/4. Ophir was in demand with large sales at 11 1/2. Work was active but weak selling at 22 and 22 1/2. Union was also off and 1000 shares sold at 4 1/2. The total sales for the day were 780,320 shares.

	Bid	Ask	Sales
Alamo	5 1/2	6	9
Anaconda	69	70 1/2	200
Aola	3 1/2	4	15
Anchorage Leland	11	12	15
Argentine Junata	10	11	1000
American Junata	10 1/2	11	1000
Ben Hur	10	11	1000
Blue Bell	10 1/2	11	1000
Buckhorn	8 1/2	9	1000
Bob Lee	8 1/2	9	1000
Banner	5 1/2	6	500
Colfax	5 1/2	6	2000
Cripple Creek	21 1/2	22	6300
Creede and C. C.	21 1/2	22	1000
C. C. and M.	8 1/2	9	5000
Copper Mountain	2 1/2	2 3/4	17000
Columbine	5 1/2	6	1000
Currency	7 1/2	8	4000
Des Moines	11 1/2	12	6000
Dantz	11 1/2	12	6000
Enterprise	21 1/2	22	2000
Emma Almet	5 1/2	6	1000
Fanny Rawlings	12 1/2	13	1000
Favorite	12 1/2	13	1000
Free Colnaga	10 1/2	11	5000
Lower of the West	5 1/2	6	5000
Garfield Grouse	7 1/2	8	21000
Gold King	18	19	1000
Gold and Globe	18	19	1000
Gould	18	19	1000
Gold Standard	11	11 1/2	15000
Golden Age	3	3 1/2	1000
Golden Eagle	1 1/2	1 3/4	10000
Golden Fleece	5 1/2	6	1000
Gold Crater	5 1/2	6	1000
Humboldt	5 1/2	6	6000
Isabella	58	60	200
Isabella (Stamped)	58	60	200
Isa May	12 1/2	13	1000
Ivanhoe	12 1/2	13	1000
Ironclad	11 1/2	12	2000
Jefferson	22 1/2	23	5000
Jack Pot	14	15	1000
Keystone	9	9 1/2	500
Kaffirs	3 1/2	4	6000
Littie Gibson	4 1/2	5	1000
Lincoln Boy	4 1/2	5	1000
Mineral Rock	30 1/2	31	1000
Mr. Rosa	18	19	20
Mollie Gibson	4 1/2	5	1000
Nutan	8 1/2	9	6000
Monarch	7 1/2	8	1000
Mountain Beauty	6 1/2	7	1000
Nigger	10	11	1000
Orphan Bell	11 1/2	12	15000
Ophir	11 1/2	12	1000
Pharmacist	14 1/2	15	1000
Portland	1 1/2	1 3/4	1000
Pappoose	5 1/2	6	6000
Princess	8	9	1000
Plymouth Rock	7	8	1000
Ramona	5 1/2	6	1000
Reno	7 1/2	8	1000
Republic	4	4 1/2	1000
Sacramento	9 1/2	10	4000
Squaw Mt. Tunnel	11 1/2	12	1000
Silver State	2 1/2	3	1000
Temomj	13	14	1000
T. F. T.	3 1/2	4	1000
Trachyte	4 1/2	5	7000
Union	4 1/2	5	1000
Virginia M.	3 1/2	4	1000
Work	21	22 1/2	6000

The following miscellaneous stocks were sold:
Broken Hill, 1000 at 1 1/2
Boston and C., 1000 at 2 1/2
Crescent, 50,000 at \$11 per 1000
Defender, 3000 at 1 1/2
Dureka, 1000 at 2 1/2
Ernestine, 8000 at 1 1/2
Eula, 1000 at 3 1/2
Golden Link, 5000 at 5
Goldstone, 2000 at 2 1/2
Golden Treasure, 6000 at 1 1/2
Gold Rock, 1000 at 1 1/2
Hazel C., 20,000 at \$12 per 1000
Henietta, 97,000 at 4 1/2
Hayden, 5500 at 9 1/2
Katherine, 7000 at \$10 per 1000
Josephine, 70,000 at 1 1/2
Kimberley, 2000 at \$13.50 per 1000
Lawrence, 7000 at 1 1/2
Ladessa, 5000 at 2 1/2
Manchester, 2000 at \$13.50 per 1000
Maggie R., 15,000 at \$11.50 per 1000
Magna C., 8000 at 3 1/2
Montevideo, 14,000 at 2

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First Call.

Colorado Springs, Jan 8.—Matters took a lively turn at the Consolidated this morning and over 400,000 shares changed hands. About the most prominent seller of the call was Henietta with a total of 26,000 shares. The stock was in very good demand and as a consequence was strong in price, 4 1/2 being actively bid for it at the close. A heavier seller than this was Adams Express which advanced to \$5 per 1000 and sold to the extent of 45,000 shares. The heaviest trader of all, however, was the comparatively new stock, Oxford, which had exactly 200,000 shares to its credit and which sold in the neighborhood of \$4 per 1000. Wheel of Fortune continues to be among the liveliest of the listed stocks and with 12,000 sales recorded another advance in price it being in good demand at 1 1/2 at the close of the call. As a whole, the prices were a little off color.

Second Call.

Only a few over 100,000 shares of stock changed hands at the second call so it will be seen that trading was of a much lighter description. The heavy trader was found in the same stock as at the first call, Oxford coming to the front with 75,000 sales without any change in price. Wheel of Fortune was again among the active stocks and at this call sold to the extent of 16,000 shares. It continues to climb in price and at one time brought as much as 2 1/2 with 1 1/2 actively bid for it at the close of the call. Maggie Reeves was in pretty good demand and with 11,000 sales stood out well in this comparatively dull call. The price paid for it was \$11.50 and \$12 per 1000, the lower figure being bid for it at all times. Several other stocks on the list, to which the trading was mostly confined, had from 5000 to 10,000 sales prominent among which was Montevideo, which was selling at from 2 to 2 1/2. The total sales for the day amounted to 650,000 shares.

	Bid	Ask	Sales
Alamo	5 1/2	6	9
Anaconda	69	70 1/2	200
Aola	3 1/2	4	15
Anchorage Leland	11	12	15
Argentine Junata	10	11	1000
American Junata	10 1/2	11	1000
Ben Hur	10	11	1000
Blue Bell	10 1/2	11	1000
Buckhorn	8 1/2	9	1000
Bob Lee	8 1/2	9	1000
Banner	5 1/2	6	500
Colfax	5 1/2	6	2000
Cripple Creek	21 1/2	22	6300
Creede and C. C.	21 1/2	22	1000
C. C. and M.	8 1/2	9	5000
Copper Mountain	2 1/2	2 3/4	17000
Columbine	5 1/2	6	1000
Currency	7 1/2	8	4000
Des Moines	11 1/2	12	6000
Dantz	11 1/2	12	6000
Enterprise	21 1/2	22	2000
Emma Almet	5 1/2	6	1000
Fanny Rawlings	12 1/2	13	1000
Favorite	12 1/2	13	1000
Free Colnaga	10 1/2	11	5000
Lower of the West	5 1/2	6	5000
Garfield Grouse	7 1/2	8	21000
Gold King	18	19	1000
Gold and Globe	18	19	1000
Gould	18	19	1000
Gold Standard	11	11 1/2	15000
Golden Age	3	3 1/2	1000
Golden Eagle	1 1/2	1 3/4	10000
Golden Fleece	5 1/2	6	1000
Gold Crater	5 1/2	6	1000
Humboldt	5 1/2	6	6000
Isabella	58	60	200
Isabella (Stamped)	58	60	200
Isa May	12 1/2	13	1000
Ivanhoe	12 1/2	13	1000
Ironclad	11 1/2	12	2000
Jefferson	22 1/2	23	5000
Jack Pot	14	15	1000
Keystone	9	9 1/2	500
Kaffirs	3 1/2	4	6000
Littie Gibson	4 1/2	5	1000
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Ophir	11 1/2	12	1000
Pharmacist	14 1/2	15	1000
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Princess	8	9	1000
Plymouth Rock	7	8	1000
Ramona	5 1/2	6	1000
Reno	7 1/2	8	1000
Republic	4	4 1/2	1000
Sacramento	9 1/2	10	4000
Squaw Mt. Tunnel	11 1/2	12	1000
Silver State	2 1/2	3	1000
Temomj	13	14	1000
T. F. T.	3 1/2	4	1000
Trachyte	4 1/2	5	7000
Union	4 1/2	5	1000
Virginia M.	3 1/2	4	1000
Work	21	22 1/2	6000

West Creek Hill.

A pleasing telegram was received yesterday at the headquarters of the South Park road. The telegram came from Congressman Shifroth and stated that the bill which he introduced early in the session of Congress providing for a road from the West Creek district, upon which ore is found, will pass both houses of Congress this week. The telegram states that there is no opposition to the bill and it will go through without delay. The news is of special interest to hundreds of persons who have invested money in the new mining camp.

The incorporation papers of the Pauline G. M. Co. have been sent to Denver for filing. The company owns three full claims on the southeast slope of Rhyolite mountain for which application has been made for patents. The books were opened yesterday and the treasury stock was taken up at \$7 per thousand shares. H. H. Dorsey, H. Hutchinson and W. Y. Brent are the directors of the company.

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Princess	13	14
Pharmacist	15	16
Portland	1 1/2	1 3/4
Reno	7 1/2	8
Sacramento	9 1/2	10
Santa Fe	11 1/2	12
Summit	13	14
Star of the West	1 1/2	1 3/4
Silver State	2 1/2	3
S. L. & C. C. Tunnel	4	4 1/2
Temomj	13	14
T. F. T.	3 1/2	4
Union	4 1/2	5
Virginia M.	3 1/2	4
Work	21	22 1/2
Wheel of Fortune	1 1/2	1 3/4

The following sales were also made:
Crescent, 5000 at 3
Dantz, 2000 at 11 1/2 and 11 3/4
Gold Link, 5000 at 5 1/2 and 5 3/4
Gold Rock, 15,000 at 2
Park View, 10,000 at 1 1/2 and 1 3/4
Arcadia, 4000 at 12 1/2
Bay State, 5000 at \$5.50 per 1000
Adams Express, 50,000 at \$5 per 1000
Boston and C., 1000 at 2 1/2
Cleveland, 15,000 at \$11 and \$11.50 per 1000
Ernestine, 1000 at 1 1/2
Gold Reserve, 2000 at 1
Gold Treasury, 2000 at \$10.50 per 1000
Geneva, 2000 at \$10.50 per 1000
Oro Grande, 5000 at \$4.50 per 1000
Oxford, 2000 at \$4 and \$4.50 per 1000
San B., 10,000 at \$1.50 per 1000
Brokers Gold, 5000 at 1 1/2
Calumet, 1000 at 3 1/2
Gault, 2000 at \$12 per 1000
World's Fair, 2000 at 1

He Had.
The temperance apostle was walking along the sidewalk, serene in the consciousness of his own goodness, when a well dressed man stopped him and shook his head.

"Guess you don't remember me," said the well dressed man.

"Why not?"
"Three years ago I attended one of your meetings, and heard you draw a graphic picture of the whole mechanic whose children went ragged, while the children of the saloon keeper, with whom he spent his wages, were dressed in silks. The story fitted my case to a T."

"And you reform?"

"Should I say I did reform? Went into the saloon business myself." Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Banker's Advice.

Baron Rothschild was asked by a friend of his to advise him in the matter of a couple of financial transactions, one of which offered a very large rate of interest, the other a much smaller one.

"If you want to dine well," the baron replied after a moment's reflection, "go in for the first. If you want to sleep well, invest in the second." Figaro

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DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological report is furnished by the Colorado College Weather Bureau. Observations recorded in local time:

Jan. 7, 6 p. m., to Jan. 8, 6 p. m.
 Temperature at 6 a. m. 40
 Temperature at 12 m. 40
 Temperature at 6 p. m. 53
 Maximum temperature 53
 Minimum temperature 24
 Mean temperature 42.5
 Max. barometric pressure, inches 24.25
 Min. barometric pressure, inches 24.20
 Mean velocity of wind, per hour 6
 Max. velocity of wind, per hour 15
 Relative humidity at 6 a. m. 87
 Relative humidity at 12 m. 87
 Relative humidity at 6 p. m. 38
 Mean relative humidity 31
 Mean dew point 17
 Precipitation in inches 0

Weather Indications.

Washington, Jan. 8.—For Thursday—Fair; westerly winds.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Adler have returned from their trip to the East.

The Ladies' Spiritualistic club will meet at 629 Bellevue avenue at 2:30 this afternoon.

Benjamin C. Chapin, the impersonator, appears to-night at the High school auditorium.

Mrs. Drinnell, of 28 East Dale street, left last evening on the Rock Island for Boston, with her invalid son.

An adverse suit filed yesterday is entitled Wm. Shideler et al. vs. A. J. Heat-on et al., and is the Atlas advertising the Nest Egg.

The regular monthly meeting of the Colorado Springs Aid Society will be held on Saturday at 2:30 p. m., at No. 109 East Bijou street.

The Garfield club of the University Extension will not meet until further notice, on account of the non-arrival of the Greek number of the magazine "Progress."

The class in the "Faust" course will meet this evening at 7:30 at the observatory, Colorado College. The subject of Prof. Adler's lecture will be, "Die Pappenspiele and Faust Dramen."

Captain Blanche Cox will speak at the College Chapel in Coburn library this morning at 9:15 in regard to the work of the Salvation Army. All persons interested in this work are invited to be present.

The United Presbyterian and Cumberland Presbyterian congregations will meet with the people of the First Presbyterian church at their chapel this evening at 7:30. It is earnestly hoped there may be a very large attendance.

The College studio is to be open on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays; and all persons who desire to consult Miss de Perella about lessons in drawing, water color or oil painting, or china painting, are asked to come on one of these days to make arrangements.

Mr. F. B. Wortman, who was formerly in the real estate business here and later in Cripple Creek, has returned from Ohio. He intends to locate here and engage in the brokerage business. For the present he will be in Mr. Edward Ferris's office. Mr. Wortman reports a great deal of interest in Cripple Creek in the part of the country from which he has recently come.

The week of prayer services at the First M. E. Church are awakening a great deal of interest. On Sunday evening more than 20 announced themselves as ready to begin Christian lives, and every night since a number have gone forward and knelt at the altar. Last evening there was a very large attendance. There will be preaching this evening and every evening for the remainder of the week.

It is hoped to have the stables at the new race track north of town in shape to accommodate stock very soon now. When they are ready there will be about 40 or 50 horses brought here for training. It is the intention to have races next spring just before the meet in Denver and to run the track in connection with the Denver race meets. In this way it will be possible to advertise them much better. Horsemen say the track is one of the best in the country.

A suit for divorce was filed in the County Court yesterday by Rosa Belle Hillary against James W. Hillary. They were married in Aspen in 1888 and have two children. Plaintiff alleges that he has been cruel to her, threatened her life and made her do washing when she was sick. She asks for the custody of the children until they are 10 years of age, when they shall be sent to Notre Dame or some other school and educated. The parties to the suit live in Cripple Creek.

Attorney J. K. Vannatta is back from his trip to California and has a lot of interesting things to tell. He says that there is going to be a stampede to Cripple Creek as soon as spring breaks. When they find that a man hails from this region they freeze on him and pump him for information. They are pretty sure that that way and the worst accusation he heard against Colorado was made by a man who said it in a tone of reproach, "You Colorado fellows are such blamed hard rustlers."

Warrants are out and the Colorado City gamblers are being "pulled" again. It is said that there are 30 or 40 indictments and some 15 or more separate cases. The complaints are sworn to by a man by the name of Breeden. It is said that the arrests are the result of a man from Bull Hill coming down there and losing a lot of money. He demanded it back but was refused. He had the gambling house pulled and kept it up every time they opened up play. It has finally extended to all of the others.

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33 bars Ark soap	1.00
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4 lbs choice rice	.25
Red Seal lye	.10
3 lbs Mocha and Java coffee	1.00
1 gal. can pure Ohio maple syrup	1.15
1/2 gal. can pure Ohio maple syrup	.60
1/4 gal. can pure Ohio maple syrup	.30
1 gal. can White Clover drips	.30
1/2 gal. can White Clover drips	.15
25-lb sack meal	.25
All kinds Anderson's jams, two for	.25
All kinds nuts, per lb.	.15
Eagle Condensed milk, per can	.38
3 lbs choice quartered dried apples	.25
3 lbs choice Salt Lake peaches	.25
3 lbs choice pitted plums	.25
Choice evaporated Calif. peaches, per lb.	.10
Choice Calif. exp. apricots, 2 lbs for	.25
Choice Calif. exp. pears, 2 lbs for	.25
6 cans domestic sardines	.25
3 cans mustard sardines	.25
3 cans Paxton's corn	.25
3 cans Bessie brand tomatoes	.25
Elk brand California table fruit—peaches, pears, apricots, plums and grapes, 2 cans for	.25
Gal. pie peaches, per can	.20
Gal. pie apricots, per can	.20
Gal. pie plums, per can	.20
Gal. pie cherries, per can	.20
Gal. pie blackberries, per can	.20
Best Colorado honey, per lb.	.15
All pkg coffee, per lb.	.22 1/2
29-lb pail of jelly, assorted	.36
1-lb can oysters	.10
2-lb can oysters	.15
Broken M. & J. coffee, per lb.	.15
Fresh State eggs, per doz.	.25
Mint butter, per lb.	.30
Petjohn's breakfast food, per pkg.	.10
2 lbs cream maize	.25
Kingsford's corn starch, 3 pks for	.25
3 pks Scotch oats	.25
10 lbs rolled oats	.25
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SYMPATHY WITH CUBA'S STRUGGLE.

Interest in the Rebellion Shown by the Administration and Congress.

PROBABLE CHANGE OF POLICY.

President Cleveland May Soon Intervene in Interest of Humanity—Recognition of Belligerent Rights Might Cause Harm.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8. [Special.] The news from Cuba continues to attract a great deal of attention in Washington. Every movement of the armies in that island is watched with keenest interest both by the administration and by the members of congress. It is perfectly plain that a great sympathy with the struggle for Cuban independence exists here without regard to political party. It is also true that the belief in the success of that movement is gaining ground. I happen to know that in the state department, where two months ago it was thought the government would be able to put down the rebellion speedily, there is now a contrary view. The Spanish minister here, Senor de Lome, has for several months made the greatest efforts to convince President Cleveland and Secretary Olney that the government would suppress the insurrection in short order after the rainy season was over. It is true, as I know, that on Senor de Lome's pleading that during the wet season his government had had no chance to carry on military operations, and on his assurance that just as soon as the state of the country permitted aggressive campaigning the revolution would be brought to an end, the president decided not to interfere in any way at this time. It was felt to be no more than just that Spain should have a fair chance to demonstrate her ability to rule the islands and to secure order and protect property. At the same time an intimation was given the Spanish minister that unless his government carried out its promise to suppress the revolution during the winter it might be necessary for this government to change its policy. I have reasons for believing that Senor de Lome understands very well that if the winter passes without a pretty complete success of the Spanish arms the United States will intervene. I also have reasons for saying that this is perfectly understood in Madrid and also by General Martinez Campos in Havana.

All through the summer the Spanish government was busy making elaborate preparations for stamping out the revolt. Re-enforcements of troops were sent across the Atlantic in great numbers. The Spanish fleet in Cuban waters was increased. Ammunition and field guns were sent forward in vast quantities. We were told that after the rains ceased and active campaigning became possible the Cubans would be driven to a corner. The fleets were to patrol the coast and render the landing of expeditions and ammunition for the insurgents impossible. The patriot columns were to be driven to the eastern end of the island and there destroyed, or they were to be forced to seek refuge in the mountains. All this was promised President Cleveland and Secretary Olney by Senor de Lome.

Six weeks have now passed since the state of the weather permitted the Spanish troops to assume the offensive, and what has occurred meanwhile? Instead of the insurgents being driven to the mountains, they have made steady advances to the westward. They have themselves assumed the offensive and have actually approached within 100 miles of the Cuban capital. They have seized a number of important towns and had it in their power about two weeks ago to make an attack upon Havana.

A Serious Matter. It is my good fortune to be familiar with the view of the matter taken in high official circles, and this is that the Spaniards have made a very bad start with their winter campaign; that they have shown lack of pluck and courage; that the revolution is apparently much more serious than Senor de Lome has been willing to admit; that the revolutionists have been able to secure all the supplies and ammunition their funds enabled them to buy, not a single important instance of seizure of an expedition having come to the notice of the authorities here. One of the most serious aspects of the case, considered from our standpoint, is that the insurgents have now overrun fully one-half of the island. They have destroyed crops and plantations and paralyzed commerce. They are not blamed for doing this, since it is generally recognized that destruction of the industries of the island is the most effective sort of war they can carry on. But the question that is now demanding attention here is, permit this warfare and destruction to continue without interference? How much more time ought Spain to have in which to demonstrate either her ability to cope with the difficulty or her utter failure as the ruling power in Cuba?

Question of Belligerent Rights. As nearly as I can ascertain, the view taken in administration circles is that Spain should be permitted to go on for some weeks longer. If by the first of middle of March she has not made great headway with her task of suppressing the revolution, I firmly believe President Cleveland will intervene. Senor de Lome said his government would crush the insurrection in three months. About one-half of that period has already elapsed, and the revolution has grown in size and promise. It is the belief of the president that if this goes on much longer it will be his duty, in the interests of humanity, to take some action looking to a solution of the problem. The president is a firm believer in the theory that nations, particularly the strong ones, have some responsibility for the welfare of peoples living beyond their own borders. Action under this responsibility should be cautiously and most deliberately taken, but there may soon come a crisis in the affairs of Cuba which will demand intervention by

this government, just as the sad state of affairs in Armenia demanded intervention by the powers of Europe. In congress the strong sympathy with Cuba has prompted a number of resolutions for recognition of the belligerent rights of the Cubans, but the president does not believe the time has come for such action. He prefers intervention, probably a moral intervention made with such firmness as to foreshadow stronger measures should these fail of their purpose. I am acquainted with prominent Cubans here who endorse the view of the president and who say that recognition of belligerent rights would do the cause of Cuban independence more harm than good. I do not think congress will take any extreme action, but I do believe the president will make an important movement toward securing peace in Cuba within the next 60 or 90 days.

WALTER WILLMAN.

IN THE SOCIAL SWIM.

A Society Woman's Description of It at the National Capital. [Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6. On the 1st of January, the busy social season at Washington begins, and social observance is more a business at the national capital than in any other American city. It is, in fact, more a business than a pleasure, and few people who are not familiar with the details of social life at Washington know what a stupendous task a woman undertakes when she joins the fashionable set. This season the society woman must crowd the fulfillment of all her social duties of entertaining and being entertained into less than two months. If she did not make a business of it, she would never fulfill her chosen mission. In the season which is about to open, every hour which the society woman can spare from sleep will be needed for social duties, and she will be fortunate if she does not owe nature a big debt when Lent comes. As for being a mother to any one, that is something for which she will have no time, and if she is a true representative of her type no inclination.

There are few busier women in the social ranks than the wives of the United States senators. They are not necessarily leaders because of their husbands' high official position. On the contrary, they occupy a middle ground socially even under the most favorable conditions. In fact, unless they come to Washington with other claims to social prominence, their husbands' official position counts for very little. The wife of the senator from a large eastern city, who has the advantages of good birth, culture and wealth, has little difficulty in becoming not only prominent, but a leader in society, while her sister from the interior, who has led a quiet, domestic life at home, and perhaps life has helped her husband to his high position, is seldom heard of or seen outside a small official circle. The fact that the senator's wife occupies this middle ground makes her, if she has social aspirations, all the keener to secure her place, and to do this she must follow to a most absurd extreme the unwritten social law of Washington. No feature of that law is more impressive than that which regulates precedence in calling. The senator's wife must call on the president's wife and the families of the cabinet officers. The latter calls must be made on cabinet day, which has always been Wednesday. She must call at the homes of the justices of the supreme court, on the wives of all the more recently elected senators (whom she

she starts on her career. She gets home from her morning's occupation in time to dress for a fashionable luncheon at 2 o'clock, at which she picks up the small gossip of her set and where scandal goes up one side of the festive board, as the salad is passed down the other. From this she rushes home, laden with flowers and her luncheon souvenir, in time to make additions to her toilet and start on a round of calls, stopping in at a "tea," where she has a clasp of the hand and a word from her hostess as she walks through the almost deserted parlor into the dining room beyond, where the crowd is always to be found struggling for a fried oyster or a glass of punch. She makes her way around, a word here, a smile there, a glass of punch in a corner, and then she is off. Another word with the deserted hostess, who must keep her position at the door, and away she goes to a similar "function" on the same block. She makes from 15 to 20 calls in an afternoon, "shows" at several teas, and gets home in time to dress for a dinner at the house of another senator or a member of the cabinet. From this she goes to a White House reception, where she stays a short time, stopping on her way home for a moment at another less pretentious but more exclusive entertainment given by some one who is not in the official circle. This is a typical day in the life of a society woman in Washington. Is it any wonder that one was heard to say at the end of last season that her acquaintances would crowd a church, but her friends would not fill the pulpit?

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A special meeting of the stockholders of The Equitable Mining and Milling company will be held at the office of the company, No. 108 North Tejon street, Colorado Springs, Colo., Monday, Feb. 10, 1896, at 1 o'clock a. m. The object of the meeting is for the purpose of adjusting the affairs of the company, and such other matters as may properly come before the meeting.

A. BROWN, Secretary.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan. 6, 1896.



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Notice. The annual meeting of the Bank Building Association will be held Jan. 10, 1896, at the office of J. J. Hagaman, for the election of directors and any other business that may be presented. W. M. F. ANDERSON, Secretary.

Notice of Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Colorado Springs, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of other business that may come before them, will be held at the banking office, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock on Tuesday, a. m., January 14th, 1896.

J. A. HAYES, Cashier.

Dissolution of Partnership. Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 31, 1895. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Verner Z. Reed and Raymond Reed is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by Verner Z. Reed & Co., who will assume all liabilities, and collect all accounts due the firm.

VERNER Z. REED, RAYMOND REED.

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22 North Tejon Street.

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S. B. DICENS, Secretary.

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No. 4 Atlantic Coast Express, 7:01 pm

No. 8 Colorado and New Mexico Mail and Express, 4:50 am

No. 9 Denver, Pueblo and Kansas City, 3:50 am

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No. 1-Pacific Coast Fast Mail, 11:15 am

No. 11-Pueblo and St. Louis Ex., 5:38 pm

No. 9 Denver, Pueblo and Kansas City, 4:15 pm

No. 3 Transcontinental Express, 10:26 pm

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South-bound

No. 608, Denver to Leavenworth, 2:10 am

No. 602, Denver to Salt Lake, 11:10 am

No. 604, Denver to Chicago, 4:10 pm

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JAMES DOYLE, Secretary.

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DOES THE MONROE DOCTRINE APPLY?

The point is often made, both by those who believe, and those who do not believe, that the Monroe doctrine is still alive, that the original Monroe doctrine was announced as a result of a suggestion by the British Prime Minister. It is a fact, and its bearing on the present question is of interest. The Holy Alliance had suppressed liberty in Italy, by means of Austrian troops; it had suppressed constitutional government in Spain by means of French troops, and it was about to turn its attention to the Spanish American republics, when Mr. Canning, then the Prime Minister of England, suggested to Mr. Rush, then minister of the United States at the court of St. James, that a joint declaration be issued by Great Britain and the United States setting forth that while these two governments desired to portion of these colonies for themselves, they would not view with indifference any foreign intervention in their affairs, or their acquisition by any third power. Mr. Rush replied that the United States would join in the declaration; provided Great Britain would acknowledge the independence of the Spanish colonies. This Mr. Canning declined to do at that time; but he notified the Prince of Polignac that Great Britain would not permit any European intervention in Spanish-American affairs.

Mr. Rush having communicated to the President the tenor of Mr. Canning's proposal, Mr. Monroe consulted Mr. Jefferson and Mr. Madison, and his Secretary of State, Mr. John Quincy Adams, and finally made up his mind to issue a separate proclamation, taking the broad ground that "with the existing colonies or dependencies of any European power we have not interfered and shall not interfere; but with the governments who have declared their independence and maintained it, and whose independence we have on great consideration and on just principles acknowledged, we could not view any interposition for the purpose of oppressing them, or controlling in any other manner their destiny by any European power, in any other light than as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States."

At the time when Mr. Canning proposed to interfere in South American affairs, and informed the French minister that his country would not permit the Holy Alliance to interfere in Spanish America, there was no question of the boundary of any British colony; he did it because he considered that the extension of the power of the Alliance which would result from their occupation of Spanish America would overturn the balance of power. He had no more right to give such a message to the Prince of Polignac than Mr. Cleveland has to tell Lord Salisbury that the United States will not view with indifference the extension of the British empire in South America.

That our own statesmen were glad of the opportunity to make a general declaration, which would be respected not only by the Holy Alliance, but by all European powers in all time to come, is clearly shown by the remarks of Mr. Jefferson on the proposal of the President to issue his proclamation. Mr. Jefferson said: "The question presented by the letters you have sent me is the most important which has ever been offered to my contemplation since that of independence. That made up a nation; this sets our compass and points the course which we are to steer through the ocean of time opening upon us. And never could we embark on it under circumstances more auspicious. Our first and fundamental maxim should be never to entangle ourselves in the broils of Europe. Our second, never to suffer Europe to intermeddle with Cisatlantic affairs. America, North and South, has a set of interests distinct from those of Europe and peculiarly her own, separate and apart from that of Europe."

It is plain enough that Mr. Jefferson realized the far-reaching character of the proclamation about to be made, and that he considered it to be the announcement of a new principle of the very gravest importance, affecting not only the situation then present, but the whole future policy of the United States; applying, not only

to the Holy Alliance, but to all European powers. The President, Mr. Madison, and Secretary Adams, all took the same view of it. The men of that time were accustomed to deal with broad and fundamental principles, and even if the evidence were not at hand that they regarded this declaration as an announcement of the future policy of the United States in regard to all European intervention in Cisatlantic affairs, the character of their statesmanship in general would lead us to believe that this was what they intended. The only American statesman that we know of who has ever taken the view that the Monroe doctrine was intended to apply only to the Holy Alliance, and died when that died, was John C. Calhoun. Every other American statesman who has said anything on the matter, so far as we are aware, has taken the same view of it that Mr. Jefferson did, and that President Monroe and his secretary did at the time when it was promulgated.

TRANSVAAL RELATIONS.

An editorial printed in The Gazette a few days ago has drawn out the following communication:
To the Editor of The Gazette:
Your readers might possibly infer from your editorial in Sunday's paper on the South African trouble that Great Britain had forcibly annexed the Transvaal in 1851.

I was under the impression that the annexation took place at the request of the Boers and to save them from extermination by the Zulus.

King Cetewayo had at that time an army of 80,000 warriors ready to overrun the Transvaal. After the breaking up of the Zulu military organization by the British, the Boers refused to pay taxes and revolted. Then came the British defeat at Majuba Hill, followed by the dispatch from England of an army sufficient to overcome all resistance. But to Gladstone's lasting honor he preferred justice to revenge and signed a peace retaining for England only a nominal suzerainty over the Transvaal.

Yours very truly,
HERBERT SKINNER.

We have looked up the subject in all the books of reference at hand, and find the following:

The Britannica says that in 1857 the South African Republic was in bad condition—in debt, and in disputes with the neighboring tribes—and owing to this, there was a British intervention declared by Sir Theophilus Shepstone in 1857. The details are not given. This is the account which comes the nearest to being a confirmation of the impression of our correspondent.

The addition to Chambers's cyclopedia, published in 1882, we believe, has the fullest account of any of the cyclopedias to which we have had access. Here is what it says: "The English government, during the late Zulu war, annexed their (the Boers') territory to the British empire under the Cape Colonial government in 1857. The people protested and sent a commission to England to ask for justice, which was not allowed to present its case. They then took up arms to maintain their independence; 500 Boers took possession of Heidelberg in Transvaal, and re-established the republic, with Paul Kruger as president. February 27, 1881, the Boers attacked the British forces on Majuba mountain, and after eight hours severe fighting, drove them from their point. The British commander was killed, and out of 22 officers and 67 men, only 109 escaped. After this battle an armistice took place pending the settlement of the question at issue. Later in that year, the autonomy of the Boers was recognized, and their foreign relations were declared to be under the care of the British government."

We may add that the British residents in the Transvaal have a grievance, in that they are not allowed a voice in the government. Dutch colonists are allowed to exercise the franchise, after a comparatively short period of residence, but British settlers are not. The government remains entirely in the hands of the Dutch. This has led to a great deal of feeling, and Dr. Jameson evidently believed that the Johannesburg British were ready to take up arms to assert their right to a share in the government. It appears that he was wrong.

The intervention of Germany in the case is a clear contravention of the treaty, which have been agreed to by the Boers, in which it is set down that their foreign relations shall be conducted by the British government; and England has a good right to protest against the presence at the German capital of the Boer Secretary of State, carrying on independent negotiations with the German government for the complete independence of his country.

We may add, in regard to Cetewayo, that he met the British in 1857, with 15,000 warriors—the largest army, apparently, that he could muster, and was disastrously defeated at the battle of the Ulundi, and carried away into captivity.

We are always glad to receive such courteous communications as the one printed above, and to answer them frankly, and as fully as we are able.

The London Chronicle seems to enjoy the novelty of its position elevated above the prevailing fog of the English metropolis. From the mere fact that its view is not limited at six inches by the yellow mass of British prejudice, it is able to perceive that there may be a possibility of justice and right in a position supported by a united government and people, even though criticizing the innate rapaciousness of the British lion.

That capture of Havana announced by the Associated Press seems to have been one of the unfortunate productions of the Guessing Bureau of that organization. About every two or three weeks, the guessing bureau, having come to the conclusion that something is about to happen, bulletins a dispatch that it has happened. If it turns out wrong, as

it does more than nine times out of ten, then it can be denied. If it turns out right, then the Associated Press can boast of having had the first news of it. This is a good sample of Associated Press methods. The Gazette gets its news from the United Press, which states facts, not wild rumors, and which has no guessing bureau attached.

Poor Grandma Victoria will probably have considerable difficulty in attempting to enforce avital authority among her descendants. The report sent to her grandson William regarding the imprudence and impudence of his recent correspondence with a comparative stranger of questionable character, may not result in the abject apology and promise to be good in the future, which is befitting. Much as the kind-hearted old lady may prefer to rule by love she may believe that in this case drastic measures are necessary. William probably has grown some since she has seen him, and will resent the attempted discipline. We fear that the resulting scene will attract the attention of the neighbors.

We reprint to-day part of an article by Mr. H. H. Nell on the ridiculous story told in the New York World by Mr. Creelman after he had been to Cripple Creek. It is worth reading:

LIGHT AND AIRY.

A Modern Appeal.

These are the days when women rule
And men must meekly bow.
The ancient swain his words must cool,
For times are different now.
Then finger not so shyly here,
While blushes come and go.
Nay, if you love me, Mary, dear,
Why don't you tell me so?

With tender words your heart I'd thrill
But usage bids beware.
The place is not a fair
Where once a lover's course was clear.
Priority says "No."
Then, if you love me, Mary, dear,
Why don't you tell me so?

A rapturous trembling at my heart
Proclaims you find the throng—
Nay, may I venture and I depart
From customs new, but strong.
'Tis yours to speak and mine to hear.
This impulse I forego.
But if you love me, Mary, dear,
Why don't you tell me so?

—Phillander Johnson in Washington Star.

Broke a Bride's Heart.

There is a bitter coolness right in the bosom of a family I know, and it happened in this wise: They haven't been married very long, and she is in just that stage of devotion when she wants to do everything for him. The hand about his hat needed renewing the other day, and thinking to surprise him, she put a brand new ribbon on one day while he was down town. When he came home, he noticed the new band.

"Who did that?" he asked.
"I had it done," replied she coyly.
"Well," he snorted, "what born idiot ever put a bow on the wrong side of the hat?"

And of course her tender heart was broken, for it isn't just any woman to understand why such respect will not allow a man to wear either hat, bow or nose gay on his right side. —Washington Post.

The Modern Muse.

I wrote a little poem; 'twas bright and sweet
and gay.
The cleverest and best I'd done for many and
many a day.
I sent it to an editor—just my hopes were
vain.
He coldly wrote: "Returned with thanks,"
and sent it back again.
And then I took that poem apart and tried a
new invention.
I put it into distinct past human comprehension.
Obscured the sense, and spoiled the rhyme,
and mailed the shapless wreck
Back to that same editor, who promptly
sent a check! —New York Tribune.

His Exercise.

Mrs. Jolliboy: My husband takes regular exercise at the club gymnasium now, and I judge from what he says that he is getting on finely.
Mrs. Kingsley: Has he become expert enough to do anything?
Mrs. Jolliboy: He tells me that he has learned how to crook his elbow, though I don't know what that means exactly. —Detroit Free Press.

Hard to Realize.

The flash and glint of steel shod, clinking heels,
The rasp and glitter of the skates on glaring ice,
And round and round the schoolboy skims and
whirls.
Above his quickened breath in vapor takes
its rise.
Awhile he sits upon the bank in snow
And o'er the frozen surface sweeps his
shrinking eye.
"I wonder how I ever come to swim
in this here pond in hottest days of last
July!" —Chicago Record.

An Unfair Advantage.

At the meeting of the Hod Carriers' association:
Clancy—Mr. Chairman, "O' Pink we should expel Murphy for not attending meeting." He's absent agin the night.
Brady—Ye're no gentleman, Clancy, fur t' make that complaint behind a man's back. —Philadelphia Record.

A Christmas Echo.

A sense of Christmas in the air.
(Ten dollars for that hat!)
Glad bells are chiming everywhere.
(I'll not pay bills like that!)

The snowflakes trickle from the sky.
(And fifty for that clock!)

And brighter beam the stars on high.
(Another, and—I'm broke!)

Not a Great Deal.

"I'm engaged to three just at present," she said. "Yes; a good deal on hand? Oh, no! Not nearly as much as I have had. There is but one diamond in this lot."

Upon a rough estimate she would put the aggregate value at \$150. —Detroit Tribune.



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HENRY H. NEILL VS. J. CREEKMAN.

World Correspondent's Statements
Refuted by the Mail & Express.
ATTENTION DRAWN TO FACTS.

The Brokers' Pamphlets a Medium by
Which Fraud is Prevented—Absurd
Statements Exposed—Business
Methods Not "Madness."

Following is part of an article that
appeared in the New York Mail and Ex-
press some days ago. It deals with Crip-
ple Creek and is an answer to Mr. Creekm-
an's World article by Mr. Henry Hor-
mon Neill.

The danger of a visiting correspondent
exaggerating the importance of the "famous
side of the business" has been fore-
bodingly illustrated in the result of the visit
to Colorado of Mr. James Creekm-an, who
spent three or four days at Cripple Creek
and a like time at Colorado Springs re-
cently, and has published in the New
York World an elaborate account of
what he saw while here. Mr. Creekm-an
is one of the best known newspaper cor-
respondents in the country and has
achieved by a long and brilliant career
the reputation of being one of the most
"quick and careful" of writers of "facts."
There is no madness here, I regret to say
that, owing to the brevity of his stay in Colo-
rado, he was able to collect only a mis-
leading array of facts and that he has
mixed with them some of the most as-
tonishing errors that have been sent
East from here. The result can but be
a gross injustice to the State and also
to Mr. Creekm-an's many readers, who will
be deterred by what he says from mak-
ing investments that are carefully select-
ed and are morally certain to return a hand-
some dividend than any they can find
in most other fields.

In the first place the opening state-
ment of his letter seems to one who has
studied the situation here to have been
written before his arrival on the scene.
Colorado has not, as he says, gone stark
mad over Cripple Creek. Colorado has
merely had thrust upon it a great op-
portunity to get rich, and is improving
the opportunity as best she can, recog-
nizing that when it arose she had not
a penny left after her great panic where-
with to develop its marvelous possibili-
ties. There is no madness here. There
are various kinds of people who are
trying in various ways to get a part of
the new wealth; but they are not mad.
On the contrary, they are, in their var-
ious ways, as keen and shrewd as any
people in the world would be under sim-
ilar circumstances. Some are endeavor-
ing out of the situation to build up a
wholesome and lasting business, which
shall continue to enrich the State
and incidentally themselves for
years to come; others are trying to make
a pot of money as quickly as possible,
with complete indifference as to the
means employed. They are much the
same as other people, those who have had
a great gold deposit laid bare at their
doors; but they are not mad.

That it is stark madness that is pro-
ducing the Cripple Creek boom is the
keynote of the letter under examination,
and when we have discovered that there
is no madness, but that everyone of the
lunatics is sane enough to be making
money, and most of them legitimately,
and that the sane are not a great deal
that is said, we dismiss a great deal
of the letter. For example, that "the world
seldom looked upon such a spectacle, and
the conditions are ripe for the greatest
fraud of the century," we know that the
conditions are also ripe for the preven-
tion of such a fraud, and that the best
people in Colorado are in league to pre-
vent it; and further, that it cannot be
perpetrated upon any but the least in-
telligent investor, for never before in his-
tory were the facilities for detecting
fraud made so accessible, so general, and
so certain of effectiveness.

I quote, "Let a prospector discover a
vein of any kind, and although it may
not have a trace of gold in it, the fact
of a vein at all is sufficient to make the
mining expert doubt, and the cornerstone
of a million-dollar company is at hand."
A mere lease upon such a claim, with
scarcely any chance of ultimate owner-
ship, seems to be sufficient to justify the
floating of stock.

The latter part of this statement is not
only incorrect but absurd. A lease gives
no chance whatever of ultimate owner-
ship. The writer has confused a lease
with a bond and lease, which is a lease
with an option of purchase, and which
has the advantage that in many cases
the miner who has a lease takes out
enough gold during the term of his lease
to pay the price named in the bond when
the lease expires. No companies are
floated upon mere leases. If there have
been such, I have not been able to dis-
cover them, and none are mentioned by
The World.

But the first sentence in above quota-
tion is even more unfortunate, for it con-
tains the truth so stated as to be utterly mis-
leading. Let a prospector discover a
vein and it is true that mining experts
do not denounce him for floating a million-
dollar company upon it. The reason is
simple. A vein the Cripple Creek dis-
trict although it may not have gold in it
is far as its exploration has proceeded
means in a majority of cases that there
is gold in it below. The entire history of
the camp thus far proves this. The veins
in some cases contain gold at the surface,
in others not until further depth has been
reached. But the experience of nine
years out of ten in the district is that
the veins grow richer as one goes deeper.
The mining expert knows this—it is about
all he does know about Cripple Creek;
and he would be writing himself down an
ass if he told people that there was no
probability of wealth in a prospect that
had found a vein.

to do as he likes, the best investment he
can make with it is to follow that vein,
until he has found its value. The fraud-
ulent companies, got up to get subscrip-
tions and run away with them, are not
organized by practical Cripple Creek min-
ers who have a vein in sight. As I re-
marked before, they are not mad.
Says the correspondent: "I can say
from personal knowledge that there are
no properties, except those which in-
volve high gambling, for sale—a price
that a conservative man would pay for
them." He can say nothing of the kind.
Conservative men, after the fullest in-
vestigation are, as a matter of fact, pay-
ing the prices asked for a score of prop-
erties every month, and the more con-
servative they are, the more fully they
investigate, the more certain they are
to invest. This is as to properties offered
for sale outright. They are now being
shipped up at the rate of three or four
a week by investors whose names are a
synonym for conservatism the world over.
Elsewhere in his letter Mr. Creekm-an
mentions some of them, and if he does
not know that they are investing he
ought to.

Then he says, "There are hundreds of
millions of dollars in the hands of Colo-
rado men seeking good investments." Er-
ror can hardly go farther than this. I
should not be further from the truth if I
said that there is not a cent in the hands
of Colorado men seeking good invest-
ments. Money is coming here, but not
in one-tenth of the quantity that the
possibilities of good investment invite
and can take care of. When it arrives,
it does not wait a week—often not a day,
—before a good investment has been
found for it. I am speaking now of the
money sent to trustworthy brokers with
which to buy shares or mines.

One such case I know of. The thing
happened yesterday. One of the big
brokers in Colorado Springs received a
letter from Germany, from a client for
whom he had already made some good
investments, asking him to invest \$100,000
in a good dividend paying property.
He telephoned that afternoon to Denver
and found that he could have 50,000 shares
of a mine stock for sale. He was told the
price—one figure for the first 25,000, and
15 cents more per share for the second.
He added his commissions and cabled
the price to his European client. The
fifty thousand shares will leave New
York by next Saturday's steamer. It is
within my knowledge that they will pay
their purchaser 25 per cent on their
cost annually for the next three years,
and I believe they will continue to pay
that much for many years thereafter.
There is no money lying idle in Colorado.
There cannot be in a State that has sud-
denly had its earning capacity doubled
and found itself without capital when
the discovery was made.

In furtherance of the statement to the
contrary, we read "Mr. David H. Mor-
fitt, for instance, president of the First
National Bank of Denver, principal owner
of the Victor mine, could furnish on
10 days' notice, \$25,000,000 if it were neces-
sary for the purchase of property that
would justify such an expenditure."

And I merely comment that if Mr.
David H. Morfitt were to attempt to put,
or to get his friends to put, \$25,000,000
into a single enterprise, he would wreck
the business of the State, and would
produce a panic the like of which no
population of the size of this one has
ever witnessed. I have no doubt that
Mr. Morfitt controls that amount of
money, but it is every cent of it engaged
at the present time in one of two ways.
Either it is invested in prospects, and
thus that has a great, and paying
mine of all of which some easterners
have such a horror (and there doubling
itself with a rapidity that would make
an usurer green with envy); or it is
loaned on notes the calling in of which,
at any time since the panic of 1893, would
simply ruin every business firm in Colo-
rado, either directly or indirectly. Mr.
Morfitt is a shrewd and able financier,
he is a believer in the gold mines of the
State and especially of Cripple Creek,
he put into them, I imagine, whatever
money in his control he can relieve from
other duties. But he appreciates his duty
as president of the leading bank of the
region, and he has carried and saved
from ruin hundreds of firms, once rich,
and now becoming rich again, but for
their ears past crippled by the unwar-
ranted events.

Not to dwell too long upon the absurd-
ity of this general idea that there is
enough on the ground to take care of the
good things that come into sight, I will
state a fact concerning that same Mr.
Morfitt that is known to me as the actual
condition of affairs. He has recently be-
come interested in a plan for develop-
ing the Cripple Creek region which many
people consider the most promising prop-
erty yet exploited in the district. As-
sociated with him in the enterprise are
four or five of the leading capitalists of
the State. All are thoroughly convinced
that the scheme is a money-maker on a
large scale. It requires, however, an in-
vestment of \$1,000,000, and all the money
will be needed within a year. And the
company, in which are interested these
millionaires, has not yet been able
to get together the money required for
its prosecution. Does that look as if
Mr. Morfitt could, if he would, or
would if he could, throw \$25,000,000 into
a single enterprise in a fortnight?

The World's correspondent, not satis-
fied with glittering generalities, goes into
details concerning certain companies,
though only such as he can advise. Nine
of these are told about. All of them are
no doubt bad investments. The facts
which he has collected indicate them to
be such. But here is where his whole
case falls to the ground. He has written
columns about the danger to the unwary
in Colorado investments. And he gives
details. And upon investigation we find
that all his details are clipped from
pamphlets and circulars issued by Colo-
rado brokers with the intention of en-
lightening the public as to the real status
of these companies and the others
that are doing business upon the basis
of real or alleged gold in Cripple Creek.
These pamphlets are elaborately got up
with compiled with great care, and to my
knowledge in many cases by absolutely
honest men. They give the standing of
every company in the camp; if a com-
pany is not found in their pages, it is to
be suspected at once. They are issued
in various forms by every brokerage
house in the State, and in the main the
facts given by all are identical. They
are sent free on request to any part of
the world. The particular booklet from
which Mr. Creekm-an extracted his most
damaging facts about certain companies
has a circulation of thousands upon
thousands, and is still being sent out to
eastern investors about whom some peo-
ple are so much worried. There are in
the State at least a hundred reputable
men who are devoting a good share of
their time and considerable money to
furnishing to the public just the facts
upon which these charges of fraud are

made, and preventing the successful
floating of bogus stocks. Every one of
the leading firms is spending money in
large quantities to distribute just this in-
formation, and writing, besides, to all
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